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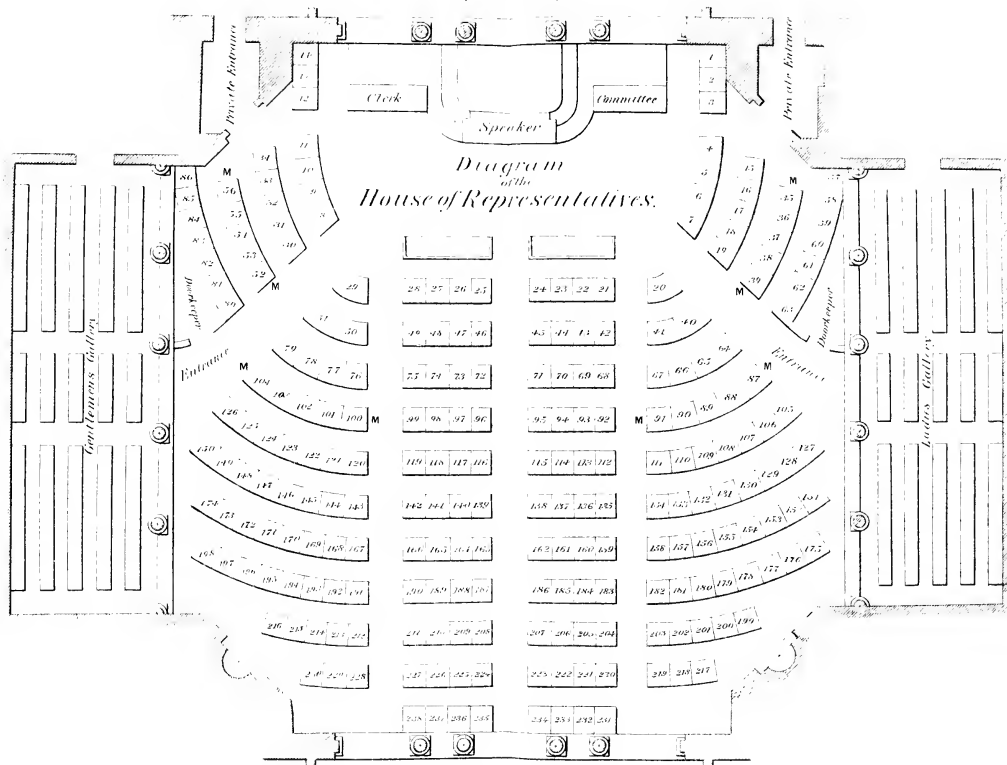


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TOGETHER WITH THE

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OF THE UNITED STATES,*

AND A

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WE, the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquillity, provide for the common defence, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this CONSTITUTION FOR THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

ARTICLE I.

SECTION 1. All legislative powers herein granted shall be vested in a congress of the United States, which shall consist of a senate and house of representatives.

SECT. 2. The house of representatives shall be composed of members chosen every second year, by the people of the several states; and the electors in each state shall have the qualifications requisite for electors of the most numerous branch of the state legislature.

No person shall be a representative who shall not have attained to the age of twenty-five years, and been seven years a

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citizen of the United States, and who shall not, when elected, be an inhabitant of that state in which he shall be chosen.

Representatives and direct taxes shall be apportioned among the several states which may be included within this Union, according to their respective numbers, which shall be determined by adding to the whole number of free persons, including those bound to service for a term of years, and excluding Indians not taxed, three fifths of all other persons. The actual enumeration shall be made within three years after the first meeting of the congress of the United States, and within every subsequent term of ten years, in such manner as they shall by law direct. The number of representatives shall not exceed one for every thirty thousand; but each state shall have at least one representative; and until such enumeration shall be made, the state of New Hampshire shall be entitled to choose three, Massachusetts eight, Rhode Island and Providence Plantations one, Connecticut five, New York six, New Jersey four, Pennsylvania eight, Delaware one, Maryland six, Virginia ten, North Carolina five, South Carolina five, and Georgia three.

When vacancies happen in the representation from any state, the executive authority thereof shall issue writs of election to fill such vacancies.

The house of representatives shall choose their speaker and other officers; and shall have the sole power of impeachment.

SECT. 3. The senate of the United States shall be composed of two senators from each state, chosen by the legislature thereof, for six years; and each senator shall have one vote.

Immediately after they shall be assembled in consequence of the first election, they shall be divided, as equally as may be, into three classes. The seats of the senators of the first class shall be vacated at the expiration of the second year; of the second class, at the expiration of the fourth year; and

of the third class, at the expiration of the sixth year; so that one third may be chosen every second year; and if vacancies happen by resignation or otherwise, during the recess of the legislature of any state, the executive thereof may make temporary appointments, until the next meeting of the legislature, which shall then fill such vacancies.

No person shall be a senator who shall not have attained to the age of thirty years, and been nine years a citizen of the United States, and who shall not, when elected, be an inhabitant of that state for which he shall be chosen.

The vice-president of the United States shall be president of the senate, but shall have no vote unless they be equally divided.

The senate shall choose their other officers, and also a president *pro tempore*, in the absence of the vice-president, or when he shall exercise the office of president of the United States.

The senate shall have the sole power to try all impeachments; when sitting for that purpose, they shall be on oath or affirmation. When the president of the United States is tried, the chief justice shall preside; and no person shall be convicted without the concurrence of two thirds of the members present.

Judgment, in cases of impeachment, shall not extend further than to removal from office and disqualification to hold and enjoy any office of honor, trust, or profit, under the United States; but the party convicted shall nevertheless be liable and subject to indictment, trial, judgment and punishment according to law.

SECT. 4. The times, places and manner of holding elections for senators and representatives, shall be prescribed in each state by the legislature thereof; but the congress may, at any time, by law, make or alter such regulations, except as to the places of choosing senators.

The congress shall assemble at least once in every year,

and such meeting shall be on the first Monday in December, unless they shall by law appoint a different day.

SECT. 5. Each house shall be the judge of the elections, returns and qualifications of its own members, and a majority of each shall constitute a quorum to do business; but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and may be authorized to compel the attendance of absent members, in such manner, and under such penalties, as each house may provide.

Each house may determine the rules of its proceedings, punish its members for disorderly behavior, and, with the concurrence of two thirds, expel a member.

Each house shall keep a journal of its proceedings, and from time to time publish the same, excepting such parts as may in their judgment require secrecy; and the yeas and nays of the members of either house, on any question, shall, at the desire of one fifth of those present, be entered on the journal.

Neither house, during the session of congress, shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn for more than three days, nor to any other place than that in which the two houses shall be sitting.

SECT. 6. The senators and representatives shall receive a compensation for their services, to be ascertained by law, and paid out of the treasury of the United States. They shall, in all cases, except treason, felony and breach of the peace, be privileged from arrest during their attendance at the session of their respective houses, and in going to and returning from the same; and for any speech or debate in either house, they shall not be questioned in any other place.

No senator or representative shall, during the time for which he was elected, be appointed to any civil office under the authority of the United States, which shall have been created, or the emoluments whereof shall have been increased during such time; and no person holding any

office under the United States shall be a member of either house during his continuance in office.

SECT. 7. All bills for raising revenue shall originate in the house of representatives; but the senate may propose or concur with amendments, as on other bills.

Every bill which shall have passed the house of representatives and the senate, shall, before it become a law, be presented to the president of the United States; if he approve, he shall sign it; but if not, he shall return it, with his objections, to that house in which it shall have originated, who shall enter the objections at large on their journal, and proceed to reconsider it. If, after such reconsideration, two thirds of that house shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered, and, if approved by two thirds of that house, it shall become a law. But in all such cases, the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays; and the names of the persons voting for and against the bill, shall be entered on the journal of each house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the president within ten days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law, in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the congress, by their adjournment, prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law.

Every order, resolution or vote, to which the concurrence of the senate and house of representatives may be necessary, (except on a question of adjournment,) shall be presented to the president of the United States; and, before the same shall take effect, shall be approved by him, or, being disapproved by him, shall be re-passed by two thirds of the senate and house of representatives, according to the rules and limitations prescribed in the case of a bill.

SECT. 8. The congress shall have power: — To lay and collect taxes, duties, imposts and excises, to pay the debts

and provide for the common defence and general welfare of the United States; but all duties, imposts and excises shall be uniform throughout the United States: — To borrow money on the credit of the United States: — To regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the several states, and with the Indian tribes: — To establish an uniform rule of naturalization, and uniform laws on the subject of bankruptcies throughout the United States: — To coin money, regulate the value thereof, and of foreign coin, and fix the standard of weights and measures: — To provide for the punishment of counterfeiting the securities and current coin of the United States: — To establish post offices and post roads: — To promote the progress of science and useful arts, by securing, for limited times, to authors and inventors, the exclusive right to their respective writings and discoveries: — To constitute tribunals inferior to the supreme court: — To define and punish piracies and felonies committed on the high seas, and offences against the law of nations: — To declare war, grant letters of marque and reprisal, and make rules concerning captures on land and water: — To raise and support armies; but no appropriation of money to that use shall be for a longer term than two years: — To provide and maintain a navy: — To make rules for the government and regulation of the land and naval forces: — To provide for calling forth the militia to execute the laws of the Union, suppress insurrections and repel invasions: — To provide for organizing, arming and disciplining the militia, and for governing such part of them as may be employed in the service of the United States, reserving to the states, respectively, the appointment of the officers, and the authority of training the militia, according to the discipline prescribed by congress: — To exercise exclusive legislation in all cases whatsoever over such district, (not exceeding ten miles square,) as may by cession of particular states, and the acceptance of congress, become the seat of the government of the United States; and to exercise like authority over all places purchased by consent of the legislature of the

state in which the same shall be, for the erection of forts, magazines, arsenals, dock yards and other needful buildings; and to make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into execution the foregoing powers, and all other powers vested by this constitution in the government of the United States, or in any department or officer thereof.

SECT. 9. The migration or importation of such persons, as any of the states now existing shall think proper to admit, shall not be prohibited by the congress prior to the year one thousand eight hundred and eight: but a tax or duty may be imposed on such importation, not exceeding ten dollars for each person.

The privileges of the writ of *habeas corpus* shall not be suspended, unless when, in cases of rebellion or invasion, the public safety may require it.

No bill of attainder or *ex post facto* law shall be passed.

No capitation or other direct tax shall be laid, unless in proportion to the census or enumeration, herein before directed to be taken.

No tax or duty shall be laid on articles exported from any state.

No preference shall be given, by any regulation of commerce or revenue, to the ports of one state over those of another; nor shall vessels bound to or from one state, be obliged to enter, clear, or pay duties in another.

No money shall be drawn from the treasury but in consequence of appropriations made by law; and a regular statement and account of the receipts and expenditures of all public money shall be published from time to time.

No title of nobility shall be granted by the United States; and no person holding any office of profit or trust under them, shall, without the consent of the congress, accept of any present, emolument, office, or title, of any kind whatever, from any king, prince, or foreign state.

SECT. 10. No state shall enter into any treaty, alliance, or confederation; grant letters of marque and reprisal; coin money; emit bills of credit; make any thing but gold and silver coin a tender in payment of debts; pass any bill of attainder, *ex post facto* law, or law impairing the obligation of contracts; or grant any title of nobility. No state shall, without the consent of the congress, lay any imposts or duties on imports or exports, except what may be absolutely necessary for executing its inspection laws; and the net produce of all duties and imposts, laid by any state on imports or exports, shall be for the use of the treasury of the United States; and all such laws shall be subject to the revision and control of the congress. No state shall, without the consent of congress, lay any duty of tonnage, keep troops, or ships of war, in time of peace, enter into any agreement or compact with another state, or with a foreign power, or engage in war, unless actually invaded, or in such imminent danger as will not admit of delay.

ARTICLE II.

SECTION 1. The executive power shall be vested in a President of the United States of America. He shall hold his office during the term of four years; and, together with the Vice-President, chosen for the same term, be elected as follows:—

Each state shall appoint, in such manner as the legislature thereof may direct, a number of electors, equal to the whole number of senators and representatives to which the state may be entitled in the congress: but no senator or representative, or person holding an office of trust or profit under the United States, shall be appointed an elector.

The electors shall meet in their respective states, and vote by ballot for two persons, of whom one, at least, shall not be an inhabitant of the same state with themselves: and they shall make a list of all the persons voted for, and of the number of votes for each; which list they shall sign and

certify, and transmit, sealed, to the seat of the government of the United States, directed to the president of the senate. The president of the senate shall, in the presence of the senate and house of representatives, open all the certificates, and the votes shall then be counted. The person having the greatest number of votes shall be the president, if such number be a majority of the whole number of electors appointed: And if there be more than one who have such majority, and have an equal number of votes, then the house of representatives shall immediately choose by ballot one of them for president; and if no person have a majority, then from the five highest on the list, the said house shall, in like manner, choose the president: but in choosing the president, the votes shall be taken by states, the representation from each state having one vote; a quorum for this purpose shall consist of a member or members from two thirds of the states, and a majority of all the states shall be necessary to a choice. In every case, after the choice of the president, the person having the greatest number of votes of the electors shall be the vice-president. But if there should remain two or more who have equal votes, the senate shall choose from them, by ballot, the vice-president. [See Amendments, Article XII.]

The congress may determine the time of choosing the electors, and the day on which they shall give their votes; which day shall be the same throughout the United States.

No person, except a natural born citizen, or a citizen of the United States at the time of the adoption of this constitution, shall be eligible to the office of president; neither shall any person be eligible to that office who shall not have attained the age of thirty-five years, and been fourteen years a resident within the United States.

In case of the removal of the president from office, or of his death, resignation, or inability to discharge the powers and duties of the said office, the same shall devolve on the vice-president; and the congress may by law provide for

the case of removal, death, resignation, or inability both of the president and vice-president, declaring what officer shall then act as president; and such officer shall act accordingly, until the disability be removed, or a president shall be elected.

The president shall, at stated times, receive for his services a compensation, which shall neither be increased nor diminished during the period for which he shall have been elected; and he shall not receive, within that period, any other emolument from the United States, or any of them.

Before he enter on the execution of his office, he shall take the following oath or affirmation:—

“I do solemnly swear, (or affirm,) that I will faithfully execute the office of president of the United States, and will, to the best of my ability, preserve, protect, and defend the constitution of the United States.”

SECT. 2. The president shall be commander-in-chief of the army and navy of the United States, and of the militia of the several states, when called into the actual service of the United States. He may require the opinion, in writing, of the principal officer in each of the executive departments, upon any subject relating to the duties of their respective offices, and he shall have power to grant reprieves and pardons for offences against the United States, except in cases of impeachment.

He shall have power, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, to make treaties, provided two thirds of the senators present concur; and he shall nominate, and, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, shall appoint ambassadors, other public ministers and consuls, judges of the supreme court, and all other officers of the United States, whose appointments are not herein otherwise provided for, and which shall be established by law: but the congress may by law vest the appointment of such inferior officers as they think proper in the president alone, in the courts of law, or in the heads of departments.

The president shall have power to fill up all vacancies that may happen during the recess of the senate, by granting commissions which shall expire at the end of their next session.

SECT. 3. He shall, from time to time, give to the congress information of the state of the Union, and recommend to their consideration such measures as he shall judge necessary and expedient; he may, on extraordinary occasions, convene both houses, or either of them, and in case of disagreement between them, with respect to the time of adjournment, he may adjourn them to such time as he shall think proper; he shall receive ambassadors and other public ministers; he shall take care that the laws be faithfully executed, and shall commission all the officers of the United States.

SECT. 4. The president, vice-president, and all civil officers of the United States, shall be removed from office on impeachment for, and conviction of, treason, bribery, or other high crimes and misdemeanors.

ARTICLE III.

SECTION 1. The judicial power of the United States shall be vested in one supreme court, and in such inferior courts as the congress may, from time to time, ordain and establish. The judges, both of the supreme and inferior courts, shall hold their offices during good behavior, and shall, at stated times, receive for their services a compensation which shall not be diminished during their continuance in office.

SECT. 2. The judicial power shall extend to all cases, in law and equity, arising under this constitution, the laws of the United States, and treaties made, or which shall be made, under their authority; to all cases affecting ambassadors, other public ministers, and consuls; to all cases

of admiralty and maritime jurisdiction; to controversies to which the United States shall be a party; to controversies between two or more states; between a state and citizens of another state; between citizens of different states; between citizens of the same state, claiming lands under grants of different states; and between a state, or the citizens thereof, and foreign states, citizens, or subjects. [See Amendments, Article XI.]

In all cases affecting ambassadors, other public ministers and consuls, and those in which a state shall be a party, the supreme court shall have original jurisdiction. In all the other cases before mentioned, the supreme court shall have appellate jurisdiction, both as to law and fact, with such exceptions, and under such regulations, as the congress shall make.

The trial of all crimes, except in cases of impeachment, shall be by jury; and such trial shall be held in the state where the said crimes shall have been committed; but when not committed within any state, the trial shall be at such place or places as the congress may by law have directed.

SECT. 3. Treason against the United States shall consist only in levying war against them, or in adhering to their enemies, giving them aid and comfort. No person shall be convicted of treason, unless on the testimony of two witnesses to the same overt act, or on confession in open court.

The congress shall have power to declare the punishment of treason; but no attainder of treason shall work corruption of blood, or forfeiture, except during the life of the person attainted.

ARTICLE IV.

SECTION 1. Full faith and credit shall be given in each state to the public acts, records, and judicial proceedings of every other state; and the congress may, by general

laws, prescribe the manner in which such acts, records, and proceedings shall be proved, and the effect thereof.

SECT. 2. The citizens of each state shall be entitled to all privileges and immunities of citizens in the several states.

A person charged in any state with treason, felony, or other crime, who shall flee from justice, and be found in another state, shall, on demand of the executive authority of the state from which he fled, be delivered up, to be removed to the state having jurisdiction of the crime.

No person held to service or labor in one state, under the laws thereof, escaping into another, shall, in consequence of any law or regulation therein, be discharged from such service or labor; but shall be delivered up on claim of the party to whom such service or labor may be due.

SECT. 3. New states may be admitted by the congress into this Union; but no new state shall be formed or erected within the jurisdiction of any other state, nor any state be formed by the junction of two or more states or parts of states, without the consent of the legislatures of the states concerned. as well as of the congress.

The congress shall have power to dispose of, and make all needful rules and regulations respecting the territory or other property belonging to the United States; and nothing in this constitution shall be so construed as to prejudice any claims of the United States, or of any particular state.

SECT. 4. The United States shall guarantee to every state in this Union a republican form of government: and shall protect each of them against invasion: and, on application of the legislature, or of the executive, (when the legislature cannot be convened,) against domestic violence.

ARTICLE V.

The congress, whenever two thirds of both houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose amendments to this constitution, or, on the application of the legislatures of two

thirds of the several states, shall call a convention for proposing amendments, which, in either case, shall be valid to all intents and purposes, as part of this constitution, when ratified by the legislatures of three fourths of the several states, or by conventions in three fourths thereof, as the one or the other mode of ratification may be proposed by the congress; provided, that no amendment which may be made prior to the year one thousand eight hundred and eight, shall, in any manner, affect the first and fourth clauses in the ninth section of the first article; and that no state, without its consent, shall be deprived of its equal suffrage in the senate.

ARTICLE VI.

All debts contracted and engagements entered into before the adoption of this constitution, shall be as valid against the United States, under this constitution, as under the Confederation.

This constitution, and the laws of the United States which shall be made in pursuance thereof, and all treaties made, or which shall be made, under the authority of the United States, shall be the supreme law of the land; and the judges in every state shall be bound thereby, anything in the constitution or laws of any state to the contrary notwithstanding.

The senators and representatives before mentioned, and members of the several state legislatures, and all executive and judicial officers, both of the United States and of the several states, shall be bound, by oath or affirmation, to support this constitution; but no religious test shall ever be required as a qualification to any office or public trust under the United States.

ARTICLE VII.

The ratification of the conventions of nine states shall be sufficient for the establishment of this constitution, between the states so ratifying the same.

ARTICLES,

In addition to, and amendment of, the Constitution of the United States, proposed by Congress, and ratified by the Legislatures of the several States, pursuant to the Fifth Article of the original Constitution.

I. Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances.

II. A well-regulated militia being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed.

III. No soldier shall, in time of peace, be quartered in any house without the consent of the owner, nor in time of war but in a manner to be prescribed by law.

IV. The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures, shall not be violated; and no warrants shall issue, but upon probable cause, supported by oath or affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched, and the persons or things to be seized.

V. No person shall be held to answer for a capital or otherwise infamous crime, unless on a presentment or indictment of a grand jury, except in cases arising in the land or naval forces, or in the militia when in actual service in time of war or public danger; nor shall any person be subject for the same offence to be twice put in jeop-

ardly of life or limb; nor shall be compelled, in any criminal case, to be a witness against himself, nor be deprived of life, liberty or property, without due process of law; nor shall private property be taken for public use without just compensation.

VI. In all criminal prosecutions, the accused shall enjoy the right to a speedy and public trial, by an impartial jury of the state and district wherein the crime shall have been committed, which district shall have been previously ascertained by law, and to be informed of the nature and cause of the accusation; to be confronted with the witnesses against him; to have compulsory process for obtaining witnesses in his favor; and to have the assistance of counsel for his defence.

VII. In suits at common law, where the value in controversy shall exceed twenty dollars, the right of trial by jury shall be preserved, and no fact, tried by a jury, shall be otherwise re-examined, in any court of the United States, than according to the rules of the common law.

VIII. Excessive bail shall not be required, nor excessive fines imposed, nor cruel and unusual punishments inflicted.

IX. The enumeration, in the constitution, of certain rights, shall not be construed to deny or disparage others retained by the people.

X. The powers not delegated to the United States by the constitution, nor prohibited by it, to the states, are reserved to the states respectively, or to the people.

XI. The judicial power of the United States shall not be construed to extend to any suit in law or equity, commenced or prosecuted against one of the United States by citizens of another state, or by citizens or subjects of any foreign state.

XII. The electors shall meet in their respective states, and vote by ballot for president and vice-president, one of whom, at least, shall not be an inhabitant of the same state with themselves; they shall name in their ballots the person voted for as president, and, in distinct ballots, the person voted for as vice-president; and they shall make distinct lists of all persons voted for as president, and of all persons voted for as vice-president, and of the number of votes for each; which lists they shall sign and certify, and transmit sealed to the seat of the government of the United States, directed to the president of the senate; the president of the senate shall, in the presence of the senate and house of representatives, open all the certificates, and the votes shall then be counted; the person having the greatest number of votes for president shall be the president, if such number be a majority of the whole number of electors appointed: and if no person have such majority, then from the persons having the highest numbers, not exceeding three on the list of those voted for as president, the house of representatives shall choose immediately, by ballot, the president; but in choosing the president, the votes shall be taken by states, the representation from each state having one vote; a quorum for this purpose shall consist of a member or members from two thirds of the states, and a majority of all the states shall be necessary to a choice; and if the house of representatives shall not choose a president, whenever the right of choice shall devolve upon them, before the fourth day of March next following, then the vice-president shall act as president, as in the case of the death or other constitutional disability of the president.

The person having the greatest number of votes as vice-president shall be the vice-president, if such number be a majority of the whole number of electors appointed; and if no person have a majority, then from the two highest numbers on the list, the senate shall choose the vice-pres-

ident; a quorum for the purpose shall consist of two thirds of the whole number of senators, and a majority of the whole number shall be necessary to a choice.

But no person, constitutionally ineligible to the office of president, shall be eligible to that of vice-president of the United States.

XIII. SECT. 1. Neither slavery nor involuntary servitude, except as a punishment for crime whereof the party shall have been duly convicted, shall exist within the United States, or any place subject to their jurisdiction.

SECT. 2. Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

XIV. SECT. 1. All persons born or naturalized in the United States, and subject to the jurisdiction thereof, are citizens of the United States, and of the state wherein they reside. No state shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States, nor shall any state deprive any person of life, liberty, or property without due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws.

SECT. 2. Representatives shall be apportioned among the several states, according to their respective numbers, counting the whole number of persons in each state, excluding Indians not taxed. But when the right to vote at any election for the choice of electors for president and vice-president of the United States, representatives in congress, the executive and judicial officers of a state, or the legislature thereof, is denied to any of the male inhabitants of such state, being twenty-one years of age, and citizens of the United States, or in any way abridged, except for participation in rebellion, or other crimes, the basis of representation shall be reduced in the proportion which the number of such male citizens shall bear to the

whole number of such citizens, twenty-one years of age, in such state.

SECT. 3. No person shall be a senator or representative in Congress, or elector of president or vice-president, or hold any office, civil or military, under the United States, or under any state, who having previously taken an oath as a member of Congress, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any state legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any state, to support the constitution of the United States, shall have engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the same, or given aid or comfort to the enemies thereof. But Congress may by a two thirds vote of each house remove such disability.

SECT. 4. The validity of the public debt of the United States, authorized by law, including debts incurred for the payment of pensions and bounties for services in suppressing insurrection or rebellion, shall not be questioned. But neither the United States, nor any state, shall assume or pay any debt or obligation incurred in aid of insurrection or rebellion against the United States, or any claim for the loss or emancipation of any slave; but all such debts, obligations and claims shall be held illegal and void.

SECT. 5. The Congress shall have power to enforce by appropriate legislation the provisions of this article.

XV. SECT. 1. The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States, or by any state, on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude.

SECT. 2. The Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation.

[NOTE. — The Articles of Confederation between the thirteen United States of America were agreed upon by delegates from the states, in Congress assembled, on the 15th of November, 1777, and were finally ratified by all the states, March 1st, 1781. On the 21st of February, 1787, the Congress of the Confederation recommended

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that a Convention of Delegates, to be appointed by the states, be held for the purpose of revising the Articles of Confederation. In accordance with this recommendation, delegates from the several states met together at Philadelphia, Monday, May 14th, 1787, and organized by choosing George Washington as their President. On the 17th of September, the Convention finally agreed to a proposed form of Constitution, which was transmitted to the Congress of the Confederation. By that body copies were transmitted to the several states, and the Constitution was ratified by Conventions therein in the following order:—

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| Delaware, | December 7, 1787. |
| Pennsylvania, | " 12, 1787. |
| New Jersey, | " 18, 1787. |
| Georgia, | January 2, 1788. |
| Connecticut, | " 9, 1788. |
| Massachusetts, | February 6, 1788. |
| Maryland, | April 28, 1788. |
| South Carolina, | May 23, 1788. |
| New Hampshire, | June 21, 1788. |
| Virginia, | " 26, 1788. |
| New York, | July 26, 1788. |

Eleven states having ratified the Constitution, Congress proceeded to make all proper preparations for carrying it into effect. The first Wednesday of January, 1789, was appointed as the time for choosing electors, the first Wednesday in February as the day on which they should vote for President and Vice-President, and the first Wednesday of March as the day on which the new Congress should assemble together. The members of the two houses of the new Congress met at New York at the time appointed, March 4th, 1789. A quorum of the House of Representatives did not appear until the 1st of April, when a Speaker and a Clerk were chosen. A quorum of the Senate did not appear until April 6th, when a President *pro tempore* was chosen, for the purpose of counting the votes for President and Vice-President. On the same day, in presence of both houses, the returns of votes from the several states were opened and counted. George Washington was declared elected President, and John Adams Vice-President. The Senate then elected a President *pro tempore*, and a Secretary, and both houses, being organized, proceeded to transact public business. On the 21st of April the Vice-President assumed his seat as President of the Senate, and on Thursday, April 30th, George Washington was inaugurated President. The Constitution was ratified soon afterwards by the two remaining states; by North Carolina, November 21st, 1789, and by Rhode Island, May 29th, 1790.

On the 25th of September, 1789, Congress proposed twelve articles of amendment to the Constitution, *ten* of which (numbered in the preceding pages from *one* to *ten*) were finally ratified December 15th, 1791. The *eleventh* article of amendment was proposed by Congress March 5th, 1794, and was declared by the President, in his message of January 8, 1798, to have been adopted by the requisite number of states. The *twelfth* amendment was proposed by Congress December 12th, 1803, and was adopted during the year 1804. The *thirteenth* amendment was adopted by the Senate of the United States April 8th, 1864, by a vote of 33 yeas to 6 nays; and by the House on the 31st of January, 1865, by a vote of 119 yeas to 53 nays. On the 18th of December, 1865, the Secretary of State made proclamation that it had been ratified by the requisite number of states.

The *fourteenth* amendment was adopted by the Senate of the United States June 8th, 1866, by a vote of 33 yeas to 11 nays; and by the House on the 13th of June, 1866, by a vote of 133 yeas to 26 nays. On the 21st of July, 1868, the Senate and House passed this concurrent resolution:—

“*Whereas*, The legislatures of the states of Connecticut, Tennessee, New Jersey, Oregon, Vermont, West Virginia, Kansas; Missouri, Indiana, Ohio, Illinois, Minnesota, New York, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Michigan, Nevada, New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Nebraska, Maine, Iowa, Arkansas, Florida, North Carolina, Alabama, South Carolina, and Louisiana, being three fourths and more of the several states of the Union, have ratified the fourteenth article of amendment to the Constitution of the United States, duly proposed by two thirds of each house of the thirty-ninth Congress; therefore

“*Resolved by the Senate, (the House of Representatives concurring,)* That said fourteenth article is hereby declared to be a part of the Constitution of the United States, and it shall be duly promulgated as such by the Secretary of State.”

Afterwards a proclamation was issued by the Secretary of State, in which it was declared that the amendment had been ratified, and had become a part of the Constitution.

The *fifteenth* amendment was adopted by Congress “on or about the 27th day of February, in the year 1869.” On the 30th of March, 1870, the Secretary of State proclaimed its ratification “by the legislatures of the states of North Carolina, West Virginia, Massachusetts, Wisconsin, Maine, Louisiana, Michigan, South Carolina, Pennsylvania, Arkansas, Connecticut, Florida, Illinois, Indiana, New York, New Hampshire, Nevada, Vermont, Virginia, Alabama, Missouri, Mississippi, Ohio, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota

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Rhode Island, Nebraska, and Texas, in all twenty-nine states," three fourths of the whole number. And the Secretary further proclaimed that it appeared from official documents on file in his department, that "the legislature of New York has since passed resolutions claiming to withdraw said ratification;" and that "the legislature of Georgia has by resolution ratified the said proposed amendment." The Secretary then certified that "the amendment aforesaid has become valid, to all intents and purposes, as a part of the Constitution of the United States."

CONSTITUTION
OR
FORM OF GOVERNMENT
FOR THE
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PREAMBLE.

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ART. 26. Article 23 of the amendments annulled.

P R E A M B L E .

THE end of the institution, maintenance and administration of government, is to secure the existence of the body politic; to protect it; and to furnish the individuals who compose it with the power of enjoying in safety and tranquillity their natural rights, and the blessings of life: and whenever these great objects are not obtained, the people have a right to alter the government, and to take measures necessary for their safety, prosperity and happiness.

The body politic is formed by a voluntary association of individuals; it is a social compact, by which the whole people covenants with each citizen, and each citizen with the whole people, that all shall be governed by certain laws for the common good. It is the duty of the people, therefore, in framing a constitution of government, to provide for an equitable mode of making laws, as well as for an impartial interpretation, and a faithful execution of them; that every man may, at all times, find his security in them.

We, therefore, the people of Massachusetts, acknowledging with grateful hearts the goodness of the great Legislator of the universe, in affording us, in the course of his provi-

dence, an opportunity, deliberately and peaceably, without fraud, violence or surprise, of entering into an original, explicit and solemn compact with each other; and of forming a new constitution of civil government for ourselves and posterity; and devoutly imploring his direction in so interesting a design, do agree upon, ordain and establish, the following *Declaration of Rights, and Frame of Government*, as the CONSTITUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

PART THE FIRST.

A Declaration of the Rights of the Inhabitants of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

ARTICLE 1. All men are born free and equal, and have certain natural, essential and unalienable rights; among which may be reckoned the right of enjoying and defending their lives and liberties; that of acquiring, possessing and protecting property; in fine, that of seeking and obtaining their safety and happiness.

ART. II. It is the right as well as the duty of all men in society, publicly, and at stated seasons, to worship the SUPREME BEING, the great Creator and Preserver of the universe. And no subject shall be hurt, molested or restrained, in his person, liberty or estate, for worshipping God in the manner and season most agreeable to the dictates of his own conscience; or for his religious profession or sentiments; provided he doth not disturb the public peace, or obstruct others in their religious worship.

ART. III. As the happiness of a people, and the good order and preservation of civil government, essentially depend upon piety, religion, and morality; and as these cannot be generally diffused through a community, but by the institution of the public worship of God, and of public

instructions in piety, religion and morality : therefore, to promote their happiness, and to secure the good order and preservation of their government, the people of this Commonwealth have a right to invest their legislature with power to authorize and require, and the legislature shall, from time to time, authorize and require, the several towns, parishes, precincts and other bodies politic, or religious societies to make suitable provision, at their own expense, for the institution of the public worship of God, and for the support and maintenance of public Protestant teachers of piety, religion and morality, in all cases where such provision shall not be made voluntarily. [See Amendments, Article XI.]

And the people of this Commonwealth have also a right to, and do, invest their legislature with authority to enjoin upon all the subjects an attendance upon the instructions of the public teachers aforesaid, at stated times and seasons, if there be any on whose instructions they can conscientiously and conveniently attend. [See Amendments, Article XI.]

Provided notwithstanding, that the several towns, parishes, precincts, and other bodies politic, or religious societies, shall, at all times, have the exclusive right of electing their public teachers, and of contracting with them for their support and maintenance. [See Amendments, Article XI.]

And all moneys paid by the subject to the support of public worship, and of the public teachers aforesaid, shall, if he require it, be uniformly applied to the support of the public teacher or teachers of his own religious sect or denomination, provided there be any on whose instructions he attends; otherwise it may be paid towards the support of the teacher or teachers of the parish or precinct in which the said moneys are raised. [See Amendments, Article XI.]

And every denomination of Christians, demeaning themselves peaceably, and as good subjects of the Commonwealth, shall be equally under the protection of the law :

and no subordination of any one sect or denomination to another shall ever be established by law. [See Amendments, Article XI.]

ART. IV. The people of this Commonwealth have the sole and exclusive right of governing themselves, as a free, sovereign, and independent State; and do, and forever hereafter shall, exercise and enjoy every power, jurisdiction and right, which is not, or may not hereafter, be by them expressly delegated to the United States of America, in Congress assembled.

ART. V. All power residing originally in the people, and being derived from them, the several magistrates and officers of government, vested with authority, whether legislative, executive, or judicial, are their substitutes and agents, and are at all times accountable to them.

ART. VI. No man, nor corporation, or association of men, have any other title to obtain advantages, or particular and exclusive privileges, distinct from those of the community, than what arises from the consideration of services rendered to the public; and this title being in nature neither hereditary, nor transmissible to children, or descendants, or relations by blood, the idea of a man born a magistrate, lawgiver, or judge, is absurd and unnatural.

ART. VII. Government is instituted for the common good, for the protection, safety, prosperity and happiness of the people; and not for the profit, honor, or private interest of any one man, family, or class of men: Therefore the people alone have an incontestable, unalienable and indefeasible right to institute government; and to reform, alter, or totally change the same, when their protection, safety, prosperity and happiness require it.

ART. VIII. In order to prevent those who are vested with authority from becoming oppressors, the people have

a right, at such periods and in such manner as they shall establish by their frame of government, to cause their public officers to return to private life; and to fill up vacant places by certain and regular elections and appointments.

ART. IX. All elections ought to be free; and all the inhabitants of this Commonwealth, having such qualifications as they shall establish by their frame of government, have an equal right to elect officers, and to be elected, for public employments.

ART. X. Each individual of the society has a right to be protected by it in the enjoyment of his life, liberty and property, according to standing laws. He is obliged, consequently, to contribute his share to the expense of this protection; to give his personal service, or an equivalent, when necessary: but no part of the property of any individual can, with justice, be taken from him, or applied to public uses, without his own consent, or that of the representative body of the people. In fine, the people of this Commonwealth are not controllable by any other laws than those to which their constitutional representative body have given their consent. And whenever the public exigencies require that the property of any individual should be appropriated to public uses, he shall receive a reasonable compensation therefor.

ART. XI. Every subject of the Commonwealth ought to find a certain remedy, by having recourse to the laws, for all injuries or wrongs which he may receive in his person, property, or character. He ought to obtain right and justice freely, and without being obliged to purchase it; completely, and without any denial; promptly, and without delay; conformably to the laws.

ART. XII. No subject shall be held to answer for any crimes or offence, until the same is fully and plainly, sub-

stantially and formally, described to him; or be compelled to accuse, or furnish evidence against himself. And every subject shall have a right to produce all proofs that may be favorable to him; to meet the witnesses against him face to face, and to be fully heard in his defence by himself, or his counsel, at his election. And no subject shall be arrested, imprisoned, despoiled, or deprived of his property, immunities, or privileges, put out of the protection of the law, exiled, or deprived of his life, liberty, or estate, but by the judgment of his peers, or the law of the land.

And the legislature shall not make any law that shall subject any person to a capital or infamous punishment, excepting for the government of the army and navy, without trial by jury.

ART. XIII. In criminal prosecutions, the verification of facts, in the vicinity where they happen, is one of the greatest securities of the life, liberty, and property of the citizen.

ART. XIV. Every subject has a right to be secure from all unreasonable searches and seizures of his person, his houses, his papers, and all his possessions. All warrants, therefore, are contrary to this right, if the cause or foundation of them be not previously supported by oath or affirmation; and if the order in the warrant to a civil officer, to make search in suspected places, or to arrest one or more suspected persons, or to seize their property, be not accompanied with a special designation of the persons or objects of search, arrest, or seizure; and no warrant ought to be issued but in cases, and with the formalities, prescribed by the laws.

ART. XV. In all controversies concerning property, and in all suits between two or more persons, except in cases in which it has heretofore been otherways used and practised,

the parties have a right to trial by jury; and this method of procedure shall be held sacred, unless, in causes arising on the high seas, and such as relate to mariners' wages, the legislature shall hereafter find it necessary to alter it.

ART. XVI. The liberty of the press is essential to the security of freedom in a state: it ought not, therefore, to be restrained in this Commonwealth.

ART. XVII. The people have a right to keep and to bear arms for the common defence. And as, in time of peace, armies are dangerous to liberty, they ought not to be maintained without the consent of the legislature; and the military power shall always be held in an exact subordination to the civil authority, and be governed by it.

ART. XVIII. A frequent recurrence to the fundamental principles of the constitution, and a constant adherence to those of piety, justice, moderation, temperance, industry, and frugality, are absolutely necessary to preserve the advantages of liberty, and to maintain a free government. The people ought, consequently, to have a particular attention to all those principles, in the choice of their officers and representatives: and they have a right to require of their lawgivers and magistrates, an exact and constant observance of them, in the formation and execution of the laws necessary for the good administration of the Commonwealth.

ART. XIX. The people have a right, in an orderly and peaceable manner, to assemble to consult upon the common good; give instructions to their representatives, and to request of the legislative body, by the way of addresses, petitions, or remonstrances, redress of the wrongs done them, and of the grievances they suffer.

ART. XX. The power of suspending the laws, or the execution of the laws, ought never to be exercised but by the legislature, or by authority derived from it, to be exercised in such particular cases only as the legislature shall expressly provide for.

ART. XXI. The freedom of deliberation, speech and debate, in either house of the legislature, is so essential to the rights of the people, that it cannot be the foundation of any accusation or prosecution, action or complaint, in any other court or place whatsoever.

ART. XXII. The legislature ought frequently to assemble for the redress of grievances, for correcting, strengthening, and confirming the laws, and for making new laws, as the common good may require.

ART. XXIII. No subsidy, charge, tax, impost, or duties, ought to be established, fixed, laid, or levied, under any pretext whatsoever, without the consent of the people, or their representatives in the legislature.

ART. XXIV. Laws made to punish for actions done before the existence of such laws, and which have not been declared crimes by preceding laws, are unjust, oppressive, and inconsistent with the fundamental principles of a free government.

ART. XXV. No subject ought, in any case, or in any time, to be declared guilty of treason or felony by the legislature.

ART. XXVI. No magistrate or court of law shall demand excessive bail or sureties, impose excessive fines, or inflict cruel or unusual punishments.

ART. XXVII. In time of peace, no soldier ought to be quartered in any house without the consent of the owner; and in time of war, such quarters ought not to be made but by the civil magistrate, in a manner ordained by the legislature.

ART. XXVIII. No person can in any case be subjected to law-martial, or to any penalties or pains, by virtue of that law, except those employed in the army or navy, and except the militia in actual service, but by authority of the legislature.

ART. XXIX. It is essential to the preservation of the rights of every individual, his life, liberty, property, and character, that there be an impartial interpretation of the laws, and administration of justice. It is the right of every citizen to be tried by judges as free, impartial, and independent as the lot of humanity will admit. It is, therefore, not only the best policy, but for the security of the rights of the people, and of every citizen, that the judges of the supreme judicial court should hold their offices as long as they behave themselves well, and that they should have honorable salaries ascertained and established by standing laws.

ART. XXX. In the government of this Commonwealth, the legislative department shall never exercise the executive and judicial powers, or either of them; the executive shall never exercise the legislative and judicial powers, or either of them; the judicial shall never exercise the legislative and executive powers, or either of them: to the end it may be a government of laws, and not of men.

PART THE SECOND.

The Frame of Government.

The people, inhabiting the territory formerly called the Province of Massachusetts Bay, do hereby solemnly and mutually agree with each other, to form themselves into a free, sovereign, and independent body politic or state, by the name of THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

CHAPTER I.

THE LEGISLATIVE POWER.

SECTION I.

The General Court.

ARTICLE I. The department of legislation shall be formed by two branches, a Senate and House of Representatives, each of which shall have a negative on the other.

The legislative body shall assemble every year, on the last Wednesday in May, and at such other times as they shall judge necessary; and shall dissolve and be dissolved, on the day next preceding the said last Wednesday in May; and shall be styled, THE GENERAL COURT OF MASSACHUSETTS. [See Amendments, Article X.]

ART. II. No bill or resolve of the senate or house of representatives shall become a law, and have force as such, until it shall have been laid before the governor for his revision; and if he, upon such revision, approve thereof, he shall signify his approbation by signing the same. But if he have any objection to the passing of such bill or resolve, he shall return the same, together with his objections

thereto, in writing, to the senate or house of representatives, in whichsoever the same shall have originated, who shall enter the objections sent down by the governor, at large, on their records, and proceed to reconsider the said bill or resolve: but if, after such reconsideration, two thirds of the said senate or house of representatives, shall, notwithstanding the said objections, agree to pass the same, it shall, together with the objections, be sent to the other branch of the legislature, where it shall also be reconsidered, and if approved by two thirds of the members present, shall have the force of a law: but in all such cases, the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays; and the names of the persons voting for, or against, the said bill or resolve, shall be entered upon the public records of the Commonwealth.

And in order to prevent unnecessary delays, if any bill or resolve shall not be returned by the governor within five days after it shall have been presented, the same shall have the force of a law. [See Amendments, Article I.]

ART. III. The general court shall forever have full power and authority to erect and constitute judicatories and courts of record, or other courts, to be held in the name of the Commonwealth, for the hearing, trying, and determining of all manner of crimes, offences, pleas, processes, complaints, actions, matters, causes, and things, whatsoever, arising or happening within the Commonwealth, or between or concerning persons inhabiting, or residing, or brought within the same; whether the same be criminal or civil, or whether the said crimes be capital or not capital, and whether the said pleas be real, personal, or mixed; and for the awarding and making out of execution thereupon: to which courts and judicatories are hereby given and granted full power and authority, from time to time, to administer oaths or affirmations, for the better discovery

of truth in any matter in controversy, or depending before them.

ART. IV. And further, full power and authority are hereby given and granted to the said general court, from time to time, to make, ordain, and establish, all manner of wholesome and reasonable orders, laws, statutes and ordinances, directions and instructions, either with penalties or without; so as the same be not repugnant or contrary to this constitution, as they shall judge to be for the good and welfare of this Commonwealth, and for the government and ordering thereof, and of the subjects of the same, and for the necessary support and defence of the government thereof; and to name and settle annually, or provide by fixed laws for the naming and settling, all civil officers within the said Commonwealth, the election and constitution of whom are not hereafter in this form of government otherwise provided for; and to set forth the several duties, powers, and limits of the several civil and military officers of this Commonwealth, and the forms of such oaths or affirmations as shall be respectively administered unto them for the execution of their several offices and places, so as the same be not repugnant or contrary to this constitution; and to impose and levy proportional and reasonable assessments, rates, and taxes, upon all the inhabitants of, and persons resident, and estates lying, within the said Commonwealth; and also to impose and levy reasonable duties and excises upon any produce, goods, wares, merchandise, and commodities whatsoever, brought into, produced, manufactured, or being within the same; to be issued and disposed of by warrant, under the hand of the governor of this Commonwealth for the time being, with the advice and consent of the council, for the public service, in the necessary defence and support of the government of the said Commonwealth, and the protection and preservation of the subjects thereof, according to such acts as are, or shall be in force within the same.

And while the public charges of government, or any part thereof, shall be assessed on polls and estates, in the manner that has hitherto been practised, in order that such assessments may be made with equality, there shall be a valuation of estates within the Commonwealth, taken anew, once in every ten years at least, and as much oftener as the general court shall order.

CHAPTER I.

SECTION II.

Senate.

ARTICLE I. There shall be annually elected, by the freeholders and other inhabitants of this Commonwealth, qualified as in this constitution is provided, forty persons to be councillors and senators, for the year ensuing their election; to be chosen by the inhabitants of the districts, into which the Commonwealth may from time to time be divided by the general court for that purpose: and the general court, in assigning the numbers to be elected by the respective districts, shall govern themselves by the proportion of the public taxes paid by the said districts; and timely make known to the inhabitants of the Commonwealth the limits of each district, and the number of councillors and senators to be chosen therein: provided, that the number of such districts shall never be less than thirteen; and that no district be so large as to entitle the same to choose more than six senators. [See Amendments, Articles XIII. and XVI.]

And the several counties in this Commonwealth shall, until the general court shall determine it necessary to alter the said districts, be districts for the choice of councillors and senators (except that the counties of Dukes County and Nantucket shall form one district for that purpose),

and shall elect the following number for councillors and senators, viz. : — [See Amendments, Article XIII.]

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| Suffolk, | six. | York, | two. |
| Essex, | six. | Dukes County and | } . one. |
| Middlesex, . . . | five. | Nantucket, | |
| Hampshire, . . . | four. | Worcester, . . . | five. |
| Plymouth, . . . | three. | Cumberland, . . . | one. |
| Barnstable, . . . | one. | Lincoln, | one. |
| Bristol, | three. | Berkshire, | two. |

ART. II. The senate shall be the first branch of the legislature; and the senators shall be chosen in the following manner, viz. : There shall be a meeting on the first Monday in April, annually, forever, of the inhabitants of each town in the several counties of this Commonwealth, to be called by the selectmen, and warned in due course of law, at least seven days before the first Monday in April, for the purpose of electing persons to be senators and councillors; and at such meetings every male inhabitant of twenty-one years of age and upwards, having a freehold estate, within the Commonwealth, of the annual income of three pounds, or any estate of the value of sixty pounds, shall have a right to give in his vote for the senators for the district of which he is an inhabitant. And to remove all doubts concerning the meaning of the word “inhabitant,” in this constitution, every person shall be considered as an inhabitant, for the purpose of electing and being elected into any office, or place within this State, in that town, district, or plantation, where he dwelleth, or hath his home. [See Amendments, Articles II., III., X., XIV., XV.]

The selectmen of the several towns shall preside at such meetings impartially, and shall receive the votes of all the inhabitants of such towns present and qualified to vote for senators, and shall sort and count them in open town meeting, and in presence of the town clerk, who shall make a fair record, in presence of the selectmen, and in open town

meeting, of the name of every person voted for, and of the number of votes against his name; and a fair copy of this record shall be attested by the selectmen and the town clerk, and shall be sealed up, directed to the secretary of the Commonwealth for the time being, with a superscription expressing the purport of the contents thereof, and delivered by the town clerk of such towns to the sheriff of the county in which such town lies, thirty days at least before the last Wednesday in May, annually; or it shall be delivered into the secretary's office seventeen days at least before the said last Wednesday in May; and the sheriff of each county shall deliver all such certificates, by him received, into the secretary's office, seventeen days before the said last Wednesday in May. [See Amendments, Articles II. and X.]

And the inhabitants of plantations unincorporated, qualified as this constitution provides, who are or shall be empowered and required to assess taxes upon themselves towards the support of government, shall have the same privilege of voting for councillors and senators, in the plantations where they reside, as town inhabitants have in their respective towns; and the plantation meetings for that purpose shall be held, annually, on the same first Monday in April, at such place in the plantations, respectively, as the assessors thereof shall direct; which assessors shall have like authority for notifying the electors, collecting and returning the votes, as the selectmen and town clerks have in their several towns, by this constitution. And all other persons living in places unincorporated, (qualified as aforesaid,) who shall be assessed to the support of government, by the assessors of an adjacent town, shall have the privilege of giving in their votes for councillors and senators, in the town where they shall be assessed, and be notified of the place of meeting, by the selectmen of the town where they shall be assessed, for that purpose, accordingly. [See Amendments, Article X.]

ART. III. And that there may be a due convention of senators on the last Wednesday in May, annually, the governor, with five of the council, for the time being, shall, as soon as may be, examine the returned copies of such records; and fourteen days before the said day, he shall issue his summons to such persons as shall appear to be chosen by a majority of voters, to attend on that day, and take their seats accordingly: provided, nevertheless, that for the first year, the said returned copies shall be examined by the president and five of the council of the former constitution of government; and the said president shall, in like manner, issue his summons to the persons so elected, that they may take their seats as aforesaid. [See Amendments, Article X.]

ART. IV. The senate shall be the final judge of the elections, returns, and qualifications of their own members, as pointed out in the constitution, and shall, on the said last Wednesday in May, annually, determine and declare who are elected by each district, to be senators, by a majority of votes: and in case there shall not appear to be the full number of senators returned, elected by a majority of votes, for any district, the deficiency shall be supplied in the following manner, viz.: The members of the house of representatives, and such senators as shall be declared elected, shall take the names of such persons as shall be found to have the highest number of votes in such district, and not elected, amounting to twice the number of senators wanting, if there be so many voted for, and out of these shall elect by ballot a number of senators sufficient to fill up the vacancies in such district; and in this manner all such vacancies shall be filled up in every district of the Commonwealth; and in like manner all vacancies in the senate, arising by death, removal out of the State, or otherwise, shall be supplied as soon as may be after such vacancies shall happen. [See Amendments, Article X.]

ART. V. Provided, nevertheless, that no person shall be capable of being elected as a senator, who is not seized in his own right of a freehold, within this Commonwealth, of the value of three hundred pounds at least, or possessed of personal estate to the value of six hundred pounds at least, or of both to the amount of the same sum, and who has not been an inhabitant of this Commonwealth for the space of five years immediately preceding his election, and, at the time of his election, he shall be an inhabitant in the district for which he shall be chosen. [See Amendments, Article XIII.]

ART. VI. The senate shall have power to adjourn themselves, provided such adjournments do not exceed two days at a time.

ART. VII. The senate shall choose its own president, appoint its own officers, and determine its own rules of proceeding.

ART. VIII. The senate shall be a court, with full authority, to hear and determine all impeachments made by the house of representatives, against any officer or officers of the Commonwealth, for misconduct and maladministration in their offices; but, previous to the trial of every impeachment, the members of the senate shall, respectively, be sworn, truly and impartially to try and determine the charge in question, according to evidence. Their judgment, however, shall not extend further than to remove from office, and disqualification to hold or enjoy any place of honor, trust, or profit, under this Commonwealth: but the party so convicted shall be, nevertheless, liable to indictment, trial, judgment and punishment, according to the laws of the land.

ART. IX. Not less than sixteen members of the senate shall constitute a quorum for doing business.

CHAPTER I.

SECTION III.

House of Representatives.

ARTICLE I. There shall be in the legislature of this Commonwealth, a representation of the people, annually elected, and founded upon the principle of equality.

ART. II. And in order to provide for a representation of the citizens of this Commonwealth, founded upon the principle of equality, every corporate town containing one hundred and fifty ratable polls, may elect one representative; every corporate town containing three hundred and seventy-five ratable polls, may elect two representatives; every corporate town containing six hundred ratable polls, may elect three representatives; and proceeding in that manner, making two hundred and twenty-five ratable polls the mean increasing number for every additional representative. [See Amendments, Articles XII. and XIII.]

Provided, nevertheless, that each town now incorporated, not having one hundred and fifty ratable polls, may elect one representative; but no place shall hereafter be incorporated with the privilege of electing a representative, unless there are within the same one hundred and fifty ratable polls.

And the house of representatives shall have power, from time to time, to impose fines upon such towns as shall neglect to choose and return members to the same, agreeably to this constitution.

The expenses of travelling to the general assembly, and returning home, once in every session, and no more, shall be paid by the government, out of the public treasury, to every member who shall attend as seasonably as he can, in the judgment of the house, and does not depart without leave.

ART. III. Every member of the house of representatives shall be chosen by written votes; and, for one year at least, next preceding his election, shall have been an inhabitant of, and have been seized in his own right, of a freehold of the value of one hundred pounds, within the town he shall be chosen to represent, or any ratable estate to the value of two hundred pounds; and he shall cease to represent the said town immediately on his ceasing to be qualified as aforesaid. [See Amendments, Articles XIII. and XIV.]

ART. IV. Every male person, being twenty-one years of age, and resident in any particular town in this Commonwealth for the space of one year next preceding, having a freehold estate, within the same town, of the annual income of three pounds, or any estate of the value of sixty pounds, shall have a right to vote in the choice of a representative or representatives for the said town. [See Amendments, Article III.]

ART. V. The members of the house of representatives shall be chosen annually in the month of May, ten days, at least, before the last Wednesday of that month. [See Amendments, Articles X. and XV.]

ART. VI. The house of representatives shall be the grand inquest of this Commonwealth; and all impeachments made by them shall be heard and tried by the senate.

ART. VII. All money bills shall originate in the house of representatives; but the senate may propose or concur with amendments, as on other bills.

ART. VIII. The house of representatives shall have power to adjourn themselves; provided such adjournment shall not exceed two days at a time.

ART. IX. Not less than sixty members of the house of representatives shall constitute a quorum for doing business.

ART. X. The house of representatives shall be the judge of the returns, elections, and qualifications of its own members, as pointed out in the constitution; shall choose their own speaker, appoint their own officers, and settle the rules and orders of proceeding in their own house. They shall have authority to punish by imprisonment every person, not a member, who shall be guilty of disrespect to the house, by any disorderly or contemptuous behavior in its presence; or who, in the town where the general court is sitting, and during the time of its sitting, shall threaten harm to the body or estate of any of its members, for anything said or done in the house; or who shall assault any of them therefor; or who shall assault, or arrest, any witness, or other person, ordered to attend the house, in his way in going or returning; or who shall rescue any person arrested by the order of the house.

And no member of the house of representatives shall be arrested, or held to bail on mean process, during his going unto, returning from, or his attending, the general assembly.

ART. XI. The senate shall have the same powers in the like cases; and the governor and council shall have the same authority to punish in like cases: provided that no imprisonment, on the warrant or order of the governor, council, senate, or house of representatives, for either of the above described offences, be for a term exceeding thirty days.

And the senate and house of representatives may try and determine all cases where their rights and privileges are concerned, and which, by the constitution, they have authority to try and determine, by committees of their own members, or in such other way as they may, respectively, think best.

CHAPTER II.

EXECUTIVE POWER.

SECTION I.

Governor.

ARTICLE I. There shall be a supreme executive magistrate, who shall be styled — THE GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS; — and whose title shall be — *His Excellency*.

ART. II. The governor shall be chosen annually; and no person shall be eligible to this office, unless, at the time of his election, he shall have been an inhabitant of this Commonwealth for seven years next preceding; and unless he shall, at the same time, be seized, in his own right, of a freehold, within the Commonwealth, of the value of one thousand pounds; and unless he shall declare himself to be of the Christian religion. [See Amendments, Article VII.]

ART. III. Those persons who shall be qualified to vote for senators and representatives, within the several towns of this Commonwealth, shall, at a meeting to be called for that purpose, on the first Monday of April, annually, give in their votes for a governor, to the selectmen, who shall preside at such meetings; and the town clerk, in the presence and with the assistance of the selectmen, shall, in open town meeting, sort and count the votes, and form a list of the persons voted for, with the number of votes for each person against his name; and shall make a fair record of the same in the town books, and a public declaration thereof in the said meeting; and shall, in the presence of the inhabitants, seal up copies of the said list, attested by him and the selectmen, and transmit the same to the sheriff of the county, thirty days at least before the last Wednes-

day in May; and the sheriff shall transmit the same to the secretary's office seventeen days at least before the said last Wednesday in May; or the selectmen may cause returns of the same to be made to the office of the secretary of the Commonwealth, seventeen days, at least, before the said day; and the secretary shall lay the same before the senate and the house of representatives, on the last Wednesday in May, to be by them examined; and in case of an election by a majority of all the votes returned, the choice shall be by them declared and published; but if no person shall have a majority of votes, the house of representatives shall, by ballot, elect two out of four persons, who had the highest number of votes, if so many shall have been voted for; but if otherwise, out of the number voted for; and make return to the senate of the two persons so elected; on which, the senate shall proceed, by ballot, to elect one, who shall be declared governor. [See Amendments, Articles II., X., XIV., XV.]

ART. IV. The governor shall have authority, from time to time, at his discretion, to assemble and call together the councillors of this Commonwealth for the time being; and the governor, with the said councillors, or five of them, at least, shall, and may, from time to time, hold and keep a council, for the ordering and directing the affairs of the Commonwealth, agreeably to the constitution and the laws of the land.

ART. V. The governor, with advice of council, shall have full power and authority, during the session of the general court, to adjourn or prorogue the same to any time the two houses shall desire; and to dissolve the same on the day next preceding the last Wednesday in May; and, in the recess of the said court, to prorogue the same from time to time, not exceeding ninety days in any one recess; and to call it together sooner than the time to which it may be adjourned or prorogued, if the welfare of the Commonwealth shall require the same; and in case of any infectious

disorder prevailing in the place where the said court is next at any time to convene, or any other cause happening, whereby danger may arise to the health or lives of the members from their attendance, he may direct the session to be held at some other, the most convenient place within the State. [See Amendments, Article X.]

And the governor shall dissolve the said general court on the day next preceding the last Wednesday in May. [See Amendments, Article X.]

ART. VI. In cases of disagreement between the two houses, with regard to the necessity, expediency, or time of adjournment, or prorogation, the governor, with advice of the council, shall have a right to adjourn or prorogue the general court, not exceeding ninety days, as he shall determine the public good shall require.

ART. VII. The governor of this Commonwealth, for the time being, shall be the commander-in-chief of the army and navy, and of all the military forces of the state, by sea and land; and shall have full power, by himself, or by any commander, or other officer or officers, from time to time, to train, instruct, exercise, and govern the militia and navy; and, for the special defence and safety of the Commonwealth, to assemble in martial array, and put in warlike posture, the inhabitants thereof, and to lead and conduct them, and with them to encounter, repel, resist, expel, and pursue, by force of arms, as well by sea as by land, within or without the limits of this Commonwealth, and also to kill, slay, and destroy, if necessary, and conquer, by all fitting ways, enterprises and means whatsoever, all and every such person and persons as shall, at any time hereafter, in a hostile manner, attempt or enterprise the destruction, invasion, detriment, or annoyance of this Commonwealth; and to use and exercise over the army and navy, and over the militia in actual service, the

law-martial, in time of war or invasion, and also in time of rebellion, declared by the legislature to exist, as occasion shall necessarily require; and to take and surprise, by all ways and means whatsoever, all and every such person or persons, with their ships, arms, ammunition and other goods, as shall, in a hostile manner, invade or attempt the invading, conquering, or annoying this Commonwealth; and that the governor be intrusted with all these and other powers, incident to the offices of captain-general and commander-in-chief, and admiral, to be exercised agreeably to the rules and regulations of the constitution, and the laws of the land, and not otherwise.

Provided, that the said governor shall not, at any time hereafter, by virtue of any power by this constitution granted, or hereafter to be granted to him by the legislature, transport any of the inhabitants of this Commonwealth, or oblige them to march out of the limits of the same, without their free and voluntary consent, or the consent of the general court; except so far as may be necessary to march or transport them by land or water, for the defence of such part of the State to which they cannot otherwise conveniently have access.

ART. VIII. The power of pardoning offences, except such as persons may be convicted of before the senate, by an impeachment of the house, shall be in the governor, by and with the advice of council; but no charter of pardon, granted by the governor, with advice of the council, before conviction, shall avail the party pleading the same, notwithstanding any general or particular expressions contained therein, descriptive of the offence or offences intended to be pardoned.

ART. IX. All judicial officers, the attorney-general, the solicitor-general, all sheriffs, coroners, and registers of probate, shall be nominated and appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the council;

and every such nomination shall be made by the governor, and made at least seven days prior to such appointment. [See Amendments, Articles XIV., XVII., XIX.]

ART. X. The captains and subalterns of the militia shall be elected by the written votes of the train-band and alarm list of their respective companies, of twenty-one years of age and upwards; the field officers of regiments shall be elected by the written votes of the captains and subalterns of their respective regiments; the brigadiers shall be elected in like manner, by the field officers of their respective brigades; and such officers, so elected, shall be commissioned by the governor, who shall determine their rank. [See Amendments, Article V.]

The legislature shall, by standing laws, direct the time and manner of convening the electors, and of collecting votes, and of certifying to the governor the officers elected.

The major-generals shall be appointed by the senate and house of representatives, each having a negative upon the other; and be commissioned by the governor.

And if the electors of brigadiers, field officers, captains, or subalterns, shall neglect or refuse to make such elections, after being duly notified, according to the laws for the time being, then the governor, with advice of council, shall appoint suitable persons to fill such offices.

And no officer, duly commissioned to command in the militia, shall be removed from his office but by the address of both houses to the governor, or by fair trial in court martial, pursuant to the laws of the Commonwealth for the time being. [See Amendments, Article IV.]

The commanding officers of regiments shall appoint their adjutants and quarter-masters; the brigadiers their brigade-majors; and the major-generals their aids; and the governor shall appoint the adjutant-general.

The governor, with advice of council, shall appoint all officers of the continental army, whom by the confedera-

tion of the United States it is provided that this Commonwealth appoint, — as also all officers of forts and garrisons.

The divisions of the militia into brigades, regiments, and companies, made in pursuance of the militia laws now in force, shall be considered as the proper divisions of the militia of this Commonwealth, until the same shall be altered in pursuance of some future law.

ART. XI. No moneys shall be issued out of the treasury of this Commonwealth and disposed of (except such sums as may be appropriated for the redemption of bills of credit or treasurer's notes, or for the payment of interest arising thereon) but by warrant under the hand of the governor for the time being, with the advice and consent of the council, for the necessary defence and support of the Commonwealth, and for the protection and preservation of the inhabitants thereof, agreeably to the acts and resolves of the general court.

ART. XII. All public boards, the commissary-general, all superintending officers of public magazines and stores, belonging to this Commonwealth, and all commanding officers of forts and garrisons within the same, shall, once in every three months, officially and without requisition, and at other times, when required by the governor, deliver to him an account of all goods, stores, provisions, ammunition, cannon with their appendages, and small arms with their accoutrements, and of all other public property whatever under their care, respectively; distinguishing the quantity, number, quality, and kind of each, as particularly as may be; together with the condition of such forts and garrisons; and the said commanding officer shall exhibit to the governor, when required by him, true and exact plans of such forts, and of the land and sea, or harbor or harbors, adjacent.

And the said boards, and all public officers, shall communicate to the governor, as soon as may be after receiving

the same, all letters, despatches, and intelligences of a public nature, which shall be directed to them respectively.

ART. XIII. As the public good requires that the governor should not be under the undue influence of any of the members of the general court, by a dependence on them for his support — that he should, in all cases, act with freedom for the benefit of the public — that he should not have his attention necessarily diverted from that object to his private concerns — and that he should maintain the dignity of the Commonwealth in the character of its chief magistrate — it is necessary that he should have an honorable stated salary, of a fixed and permanent value, amply sufficient for those purposes. and established by standing laws: and it shall be among the first acts of the general court, after the commencement of this constitution, to establish such salary by law accordingly.

Permanent and honorable salaries shall also be established by law for the justices of the supreme judicial court.

And if it shall be found that any of the salaries aforesaid, so established, are insufficient, they shall, from time to time, be enlarged, as the general court shall judge proper.

CHAPTER II.

SECTION II.

Lieutenant-Governor.

ARTICLE I. There shall be annually elected a lieutenant-governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, whose title shall be — *His Honor*; and who shall be qualified, in point of religion, property, and residence in the Commonwealth, in the same manner with the governor; and the day and manner of his election, and the qualifications of

the electors, shall be the same as are required in the election of a governor. The return of the votes for this officer, and the declaration of his election, shall be in the same manner; and if no one person shall be found to have a majority of all the votes returned, the vacancy shall be filled by the senate and house of representatives, in the same manner as the governor is to be elected, in case no one person shall have a majority of the votes of the people to be governor. [See Amendments, Articles III., VI., X., XV.]

ART. II. The governor, and in his absence the lieutenant-governor, shall be president of the council, but shall have no vote in council; and the lieutenant-governor shall always be a member of the council, except when the chair of the governor shall be vacant.

ART. III. Whenever the chair of the governor shall be vacant, by reason of his death, or absence from the Commonwealth, or otherwise, the lieutenant-governor, for the time being, shall, during such vacancy, perform all the duties incumbent upon the governor, and shall have and exercise all the powers and authorities, which, by this constitution, the governor is vested with, when personally present.

CHAPTER II.

SECTION III.

Council, and the Manner of settling Elections by the Legislature.

ARTICLE I. There shall be a council for advising the governor in the executive part of the government, to consist of nine persons besides the lieutenant-governor, whom the governor, for the time being, shall have full power and authority, from time to time, at his discretion, to assemble

and call together; and the governor, with the said councillors, or five of them at least, shall and may, from time to time, hold and keep a council, for the ordering and directing the affairs of the Commonwealth, according to the laws of the land. [See Amendments, Article XVI.]

ART. II. Nine councillors shall be annually chosen from among the persons returned for councillors and senators, on the last Wednesday in May, by the joint ballot of the senators and representatives assembled in one room; and in case there shall not be found, upon the first choice, the whole number of nine persons who will accept a seat in the council, the deficiency shall be made up by the electors aforesaid from among the people at large; and the number of senators left, shall constitute the senate for the year. The seats of the persons thus elected from the senate, and accepting the trust, shall be vacated in the senate. [See Amendments, Articles X., XIII., XVI.]

ART. III. The councillors, in the civil arrangements of the Commonwealth, shall have rank next after the lieutenant-governor.

ART. IV. Not more than two councillors shall be chosen out of any one district of this Commonwealth.

ART. V. The resolutions and advice of the council shall be recorded in a register, and signed by the members present; and this record may be called for, at any time, by either house of the legislature; and any member of the council may insert his opinion, contrary to the resolution of the majority.

ART. VI. Whenever the office of the governor and lieutenant-governor shall be vacant, by reason of death, absence, or otherwise, then the council, or the major part

of them, shall, during such vacancy, have full power and authority to do and execute all and every such acts, matters, and things, as the governor or the lieutenant-governor might or could, by virtue of this constitution, do or execute, if they, or either of them, were personally present.

ART. VII. And whereas the elections appointed to be made by this constitution, on the last Wednesday in May, annually, by the two houses of the legislature, may not be completed on that day, the said elections may be adjourned from day to day, until the same shall be completed. And the order of elections shall be as follows: The vacancies, in the senate, if any, shall first be filled up; the governor and lieutenant-governor shall then be elected, provided there should be no choice of them by the people; and afterwards the two houses shall proceed to the election of the council.

CHAPTER II.

SECTION IV.

Secretary, Treasurer, Commissary, &c.

ARTICLE I. The secretary, treasurer and receiver-general, and the commissary-general, notaries public, and naval officers, shall be chosen annually, by joint ballot of the senators and representatives, in one room. And, that the citizens of this Commonwealth may be assured, from time to time, that the moneys remaining in the public treasury, upon the settlement and liquidation of the public accounts, are their property, no man shall be eligible as treasurer and receiver-general more than five years successively. [See Amendments, Articles IV., XVII.]

ART. II. The records of the Commonwealth shall be kept in the office of the secretary, who may appoint his deputies,

for whose conduct he shall be accountable, and he shall attend the governor and council, the senate and house of representatives, in person, or by his deputies, as they shall respectively require.

CHAPTER III.

JUDICIARY POWER.

ARTICLE I. The tenure that all commission officers shall by law have in their offices, shall be expressed in their respective commissions. All judicial officers, duly appointed, commissioned and sworn, shall hold their offices during good behavior, excepting such concerning whom there is different provision made in this constitution : provided, nevertheless, the governor, with consent of the council, may remove them upon the address of both houses of the legislature.

ART. II. Each branch of the legislature, as well as the governor and council, shall have authority to require the opinions of the justices of the supreme judicial court, upon important questions of law, and upon solemn occasions.

ART. III. In order that the people may not suffer from the long continuance in place of any justice of the peace, who shall fail of discharging the important duties of his office with ability or fidelity, all commissions of justices of the peace shall expire and become void, in the term of seven years from their respective dates ; and, upon the expiration of any commission, the same may, if necessary, be renewed, or another person appointed, as shall most conduce to the well-being of the Commonwealth.

ART. IV. The judges of probate of wills, and for granting letters of administration, shall hold their courts, at such place or places, on fixed days, as the convenience of the

people shall require; and the legislature shall, from time to time, hereafter appoint such times and places; until which appointments, the said courts shall be holden at the times and places which the respective judges shall direct.

ART. V. All causes of marriage, divorce and alimony, and all appeals from the judges of probate, shall be heard and determined by the governor and council, until the legislature shall, by law, make other provision.

CHAPTER IV.

DELEGATES TO CONGRESS.

The delegates of this Commonwealth to the congress of the United States shall, some time in the month of June, annually, be elected by the joint ballot of the senate and house of representatives, assembled together in one room; to serve in congress for one year, to commence on the first Monday in November then next ensuing. They shall have commissions under the hand of the governor, and the great seal of the Commonwealth; but may be recalled at any time within the year, and others chosen and commissioned, in the same manner, in their stead. [Annulled by the adoption of the Constitution of the United States.]

CHAPTER V.

THE UNIVERSITY AT CAMBRIDGE, AND ENCOURAGEMENT OF LITERATURE, &C.

SECTION I.

The University.

ARTICLE I. Whereas our wise and pious ancestors, so early as the year one thousand six hundred and thirty-six, laid the foundation of Harvard College, in which univer-

sity many persons of great eminence have, by the blessing of GOD, been initiated in those arts and sciences which qualified them for public employments, both in church and state; and whereas the encouragement of arts and sciences, and all good literature, tends to the honor of GOD, the advantage of the Christian religion, and the great benefit of this, and the other United States of America, — it is declared, that the PRESIDENT AND FELLOWS OF HARVARD COLLEGE, in their corporate capacity, and their successors in that capacity, their officers and servants, shall have, hold, use, exercise and enjoy, all the powers, authorities, rights, liberties, privileges, immunities and franchises, which they now have, or are entitled to have, hold, use, exercise and enjoy; and the same are hereby ratified and confirmed unto them, the said president and fellows of Harvard College, and to their successors, and to their officers, and servants, respectively, forever.

ART. II. And whereas there have been, at sundry times, by divers persons, gifts, grants, devises of houses, lands, tenements, goods, chattels, legacies and conveyances, heretofore made, either to Harvard College, in Cambridge, in New England, or to the president and fellows of Harvard College, or to the said college, by some other description, under several charters successively; it is declared, that all the said gifts, grants, devises, legacies and conveyances, are hereby forever confirmed unto the president and fellows of Harvard College, and to their successors, in the capacity aforesaid, according to the true intent and meaning of the donor or donors, grantor or grantors, deviser or devisors.

ART. III. And whereas by an act of the general court of the Colony of Massachusetts Bay, passed in the year one thousand six hundred and forty-two, the governor and deputy-governor, for the time being, and all the magistrates of that jurisdiction, were, with the president, and a number of the clergy in the said act described, constituted

the overseers of Harvard College; and it being necessary, in this new constitution of government, to ascertain who shall be deemed successors to the said governor, deputy-governor, and magistrates; it is declared, that the governor, lieutenant-governor, council and senate of this Commonwealth, are, and shall be deemed, their successors; who, with the president of Harvard College, for the time being, together with the ministers of the congregational churches in the towns of Cambridge, Watertown, Charlestown, Boston, Roxbury and Dorchester, mentioned in the said act, shall be, and hereby are, vested with all the powers and authority belonging, or in any way appertaining, to the overseers of Harvard College; provided, that nothing herein shall be construed to prevent the legislature of this Commonwealth from making such alterations in the government of the said university, as shall be conducive to its advantage, and the interest of the republic of letters, in as full a manner as might have been done by the legislature of the late Province of the Massachusetts Bay.

CHAPTER V.

SECTION II.

The Encouragement of Literature, &c.

Wisdom and knowledge, as well as virtue, diffused generally among the body of the people, being necessary for the preservation of their rights and liberties; and as these depend on spreading the opportunities and advantages of education in the various parts of the country, and among the different orders of the people, it shall be the duty of legislatures and magistrates, in all future periods of this Commonwealth, to cherish the interests of literature and the sciences, and all seminaries of them; especially the university at Cambridge, public schools, and grammar schools in the towns; to encourage private societies, and

public institutions, rewards and immunities for the promotion of agriculture, arts, sciences, commerce, trades, manufactures, and a natural history of the country; to countenance and inculcate the principles of humanity and general benevolence, public and private charity, industry and frugality, honesty and punctuality in their dealings; sincerity, good humor, and all social affections and generous sentiments among the people. [See Amendments, Article XVIII.]

CHAPTER VI.

OATHS AND SUBSCRIPTIONS; INCOMPATIBILITY OF AND EXCLUSION FROM OFFICES; PECUNIARY QUALIFICATIONS; COMMISSIONS; WRITS; CONFIRMATION OF LAWS; HABEAS CORPUS; THE ENACTING STYLE; CONTINUANCE OF OFFICERS; PROVISION FOR A FUTURE REVISAL OF THE CONSTITUTION, &c.

ARTICLE I. Any person chosen governor, lieutenant-governor, councillor, senator, or representative, and accepting the trust, shall, before he proceed to execute the duties of his place or office, make and subscribe the following declaration, viz. :

“I, A. B., do declare, that I believe the Christian religion, and have a firm persuasion of its truth; and that I am seized and possessed, in my own right, of the property required by the constitution, as one qualification for the office or place to which I am elected.” [See Amendments, Article VII.]

“And the governor, lieutenant-governor, and councillors, shall make and subscribe the said declaration, in the presence of the two houses of assembly; and the senators and representatives, first elected under this constitution, before the president and five of the council of the former constitution, and forever afterwards, before the governor and council for the time being.

And every person, chosen to either of the places or offices aforesaid, as also any person appointed or commissioned to any judicial, executive, military, or other office under the government, shall, before he enters on the discharge of the business of his place or office, take and subscribe the following declaration, and oaths or affirmations, viz. :

“I, A. B., do truly and sincerely acknowledge, profess, testify and declare, that the Commonwealth of Massachusetts is, and of right ought to be, a free, sovereign, and independent State; and I do swear, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the said Commonwealth, and that I will defend the same against traitorous conspiracies and all hostile attempts whatsoever; and that I do renounce and abjure all allegiance, subjection and obedience to the king, queen, or government of Great Britain, (as the case may be,) and every other foreign power whatsoever; and that no foreign prince, person, prelate, state, or potentate, hath, or ought to have, any jurisdiction, superiority, pre-eminence, authority, dispensing or other power, in any matter, civil, ecclesiastical, or spiritual, within this Commonwealth; except the authority and power which is or may be vested by their constituents in the congress of the United States; and I do further testify and declare, that no man, or body of men, hath, or can have, any right to absolve or discharge me from the obligation of this oath, declaration, or affirmation; and that I do make this acknowledgment, profession, testimony, declaration, denial, renunciation and abjuration, heartily and truly, according to the common meaning and acceptance of the foregoing words, without any equivocation, mental evasion, or secret reservation whatsoever. So help me, God.”

“I, A. B., do solemnly swear and affirm, that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as _____, according to the best of my abilities and understanding, agreeably to the

rules and regulations of the constitution, and the laws of the Commonwealth. So help me, God." [See Amendments, Article VI.]

Provided, always, that when any person, chosen or appointed as aforesaid, shall be of the denomination of the people called Quakers, and shall decline taking the said oaths, he shall make his affirmation in the foregoing form, and subscribe the same, omitting the words, "*I do swear,*" "*and abjure,*" "*oath or,*" "*and abjuration,*" in the first oath; and in the second oath, the words, "*swear and;*" and in each of them the words, "*So help me, God;*" subjoining, instead thereof, "*This I do under the pains and penalties of perjury.*" [See Amendments, Article VI.]

And the said oaths or affirmations shall be taken and subscribed by the governor, lieutenant-governor, and councillors, before the president of the senate, in the presence of the two houses of assembly; and by the senators and representatives first elected under this constitution, before the president and five of the council of the former constitution; and forever afterwards before the governor and council for the time being; and by the residue of the officers aforesaid, before such persons, and in such manner, as from time to time shall be prescribed by the legislature.

ART. II. No governor, lieutenant-governor, or judge of the supreme judicial court, shall hold any other office or place, under the authority of this Commonwealth, except such as by this constitution they are admitted to hold, saving that the judges of the said court may hold the offices of justices of the peace through the state; nor shall they hold any other place or office, or receive any pension or salary from any other state, or government, or power, whatever.

No person shall be capable of holding or exercising at the same time, within this State, more than one of the following offices, viz.: judge of probate, sheriff, register of

probate, or register of deeds; and never more than any two offices, which are to be held by appointment of the governor, or the governor and council, or the senate, or the house of representatives, or by the election of the people of the State at large, or of the people of any county, military offices, and the offices of justices of the peace excepted, shall be held by one person.

No person holding the office of judge of the supreme judicial court, secretary, attorney-general, solicitor-general, treasurer or receiver-general, judge of probate, commissary-general, president, professor or instructor of Harvard College, sheriff, clerk of the house of representatives, register of probate, register of deeds, clerk of the supreme judicial court, clerk of the inferior court of common pleas, or officer of the customs, — including, in this description, naval officers, — shall at the same time have a seat in the senate or house of representatives; but their being chosen or appointed to, and accepting the same, shall operate as a resignation of their seat in the senate or house of representatives; and the place so vacated shall be filled up. [See Amendments, Article VIII.]

And the same rule shall take place in case any judge of the said supreme judicial court, or judge of probate, shall accept a seat in council; or any councillor shall accept of either of those offices or places.

And no person shall ever be admitted to hold a seat in the legislature, or any office of trust or importance under the government of this Commonwealth, who shall, in the due course of law, have been convicted of bribery or corruption, in obtaining an election or appointment.

ART. III. In all cases, where sums of money are mentioned in this constitution, the value thereof shall be computed in silver, at six shillings and eight pence per ounce; and it shall be in the power of the legislature, from time to time, to increase such qualifications, as to property, of the

persons to be elected to offices, as the circumstances of the Commonwealth shall require.

ART. IV. All commissions shall be in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, signed by the governor, and attested by the secretary or his deputy, and have the great seal of the Commonwealth affixed thereto.

ART. V. All writs, issuing out of the clerk's office in any of the courts of law, shall be in the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; they shall be under the seal of the court from whence they issue; they shall bear test of the first justice of the court to which they shall be returnable, who is not a party, and be signed by the clerk of such court.

ART. VI. All the laws, which have heretofore been adopted, used, and approved in the Province, Colony, or State of Massachusetts Bay, and usually practised on in the courts of law, shall still remain and be in full force, until altered or repealed by the legislature; such parts only excepted as are repugnant to the rights and liberties contained in this constitution.

ART. VII. The privilege and benefit of the writ of *habeas corpus* shall be enjoyed in this Commonwealth in the most free, easy, cheap, expeditious, and ample manner; and shall not be suspended by the legislature, except upon the most urgent and pressing occasions, and for a limited time, not exceeding twelve months.

ART. VIII. The enacting style, in making and passing all acts, statutes, and laws, shall be, "Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same."

ART. IX. To the end there may be no failure of justice, or danger arise to the Commonwealth, from a change of

the form of government, all officers, civil and military, holding commissions under the government and people of Massachusetts Bay, in New England, and all other officers of the said government and people, at the time this constitution shall take effect, shall have, hold, use, exercise, and enjoy all the powers and authority to them granted or committed, until other persons shall be appointed in their stead; and all courts of law shall proceed in the execution of the business of their respective departments; and all the executive and legislative officers, bodies, and powers shall continue in full force, in the enjoyment and exercise of all their trusts, employments and authority; until the general court and the supreme and executive officers under this constitution, are designated and invested with their respective trusts, powers, and authority.

ART. X. In order the more effectually to adhere to the principles of the constitution, and to correct those violations which by any means may be made therein, as well as to form such alterations as from experience shall be found necessary, the general court, which shall be in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety-five, shall issue precepts to the selectmen of the several towns, and to the assessors of the unincorporated plantations, directing them to convene the qualified voters of their respective towns and plantations, for the purpose of collecting their sentiments on the necessity or expediency of revising the constitution, in order to amendments.

And if it shall appear, by the returns made, that two thirds of the qualified voters throughout the State, who shall assemble and vote in consequence of the said precepts, are in favor of such revision or amendment, the general court shall issue precepts, or direct them to be issued from the secretary's office, to the several towns, to elect delegates to meet in convention for the purpose aforesaid.

The said delegates to be chosen in the same manner and

proportion as their representatives in the second branch of the legislature are by this constitution to be chosen.

ART. XI. This form of government shall be enrolled on parchment, and deposited in the secretary's office, and be a part of the laws of the land; and printed copies thereof shall be prefixed to the book containing the laws of this Commonwealth, in all future editions of the said laws.

ARTICLES OF AMENDMENT.

ARTICLE I. If any bill or resolve shall be objected to, and not approved by the governor, and if the general court shall adjourn within five days after the same shall have been laid before the governor for his approbation, and thereby prevent his returning it, with his objections, as provided by the constitution, such bill or resolve shall not become a law, nor have force as such.

ART. II. The general court shall have full power and authority to erect and constitute municipal or city governments, in any corporate town or towns in this Commonwealth, and to grant to the inhabitants thereof such powers, privileges, and immunities not repugnant to the constitution, as the general court shall deem necessary or expedient for the regulation and government thereof, and to prescribe the manner of calling and holding public meetings of the inhabitants in wards or otherwise, for the election of officers under the constitution, and the manner of returning the votes given at such meetings: provided, that no such government shall be erected or constituted in any town not containing twelve thousand inhabitants; nor unless it be with the consent, and on the application, of a majority of the inhabitants of such town, present and voting thereon, pursuant to a vote at a meeting duly warned

and holden for that purpose : and provided, also, that all by-laws, made by such municipal or city government, shall be subject, at all times, to be annulled by the general court.

ART. III. Every male citizen of twenty-one years of age and upwards (excepting paupers and persons under guardianship), who shall have resided within the Commonwealth one year, and within the town or district, in which he may claim a right to vote, six calendar months next preceding any election of governor, lieutenant-governor, senators, or representatives, and who shall have paid, by himself or his parent, master, or guardian, any state or county tax, which shall, within two years next preceding such election, have been assessed upon him, in any town or district of this Commonwealth; and also every citizen who shall be by law exempted from taxation, and who shall be in all other respects qualified as above mentioned, shall have a right to vote in such election of governor, lieutenant-governor, senators, and representatives; and no other person shall be entitled to vote in such elections.

ART. IV. Notaries public shall be appointed by the governor in the same manner as judicial officers are appointed, and shall hold their offices during seven years, unless sooner removed by the governor, with the consent of the council, upon the address of both houses of the legislature.

In case the office of secretary or treasurer of the Commonwealth shall become vacant from any cause, during the recess of the general court, the governor, with the advice and consent of the council, shall nominate and appoint, under such regulations as may be prescribed by law, a competent and suitable person, to such vacant office, who shall hold the same until a successor shall be appointed by the general court. [See Amendments, Article XVII.]

Whenever the exigencies of the Commonwealth shall require the appointment of a commissary-general, he shall

be nominated, appointed, and commissioned in such manner as the legislature may, by law, prescribe.

All officers commissioned to command in the militia may be removed from office in such manner as the legislature may, by law, prescribe.

ART. V. In the elections of captains and subalterns of the militia, all the members of their respective companies, as well those under, as those above the age of twenty-one years, shall have a right to vote.

ART. VI. Instead of the oath of allegiance prescribed by the constitution, the following oath shall be taken and subscribed by every person chosen or appointed to any office, civil or military, under the government of this Commonwealth, before he shall enter on the duties of his office, to wit: —

“I, A. B., do solemnly swear, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and will support the constitution thereof. So help me, GOD.”

Provided, That when any person shall be of the denomination called Quakers, and shall decline taking said oath, he shall make his affirmation in the foregoing form, omitting the word “swear,” and inserting, instead thereof, the word “affirm,” and omitting the words “So help me, GOD,” and subjoining, instead thereof, the words “This I do under the pains and penalties of perjury.”

ART. VII. No oath, declaration, or subscription, excepting the oath prescribed in the preceding article, and the oath of office, shall be required of the governor, lieutenant-governor, councillors, senators, or representatives, to qualify them to perform the duties of their respective offices.

ART. VIII. No judge of any court of this Commonwealth (except the court of sessions), and no person hold-

ing any office under the authority of the United States (postmasters excepted), shall, at the same time, hold the office of governor, lieutenant-governor, or councillor, or have a seat in the senate or house of representatives of this Commonwealth; and no judge of any court in this Commonwealth (except the court of sessions), nor the attorney-general, solicitor-general, county-attorney, clerk of any court, sheriff, treasurer and receiver-general, register of probate, nor register of deeds, shall continue to hold his said office after being elected a member of the Congress of the United States, and accepting that trust; but the acceptance of such trust, by any of the officers aforesaid, shall be deemed and taken to be a resignation of his said office; and judges of the courts of common pleas shall hold no other office under the government of this Commonwealth, the office of justice of the peace and militia offices excepted.

ART. IX. If, in any time hereafter, any specific and particular amendment or amendments to the constitution be proposed in the general court, and agreed to by a majority of the senators and two thirds of the members of the house of representatives present and voting thereon, such proposed amendment or amendments shall be entered on the journals of the two houses, with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and referred to the general court then next to be chosen, and shall be published; and if in the general court next chosen, as aforesaid, such proposed amendment or amendments shall be agreed to by a majority of the senators and two thirds of the members of the house of representatives present and voting thereon, then it shall be the duty of the general court to submit such proposed amendment or amendments to the people; and if they shall be approved and ratified by a majority of the qualified voters, voting thereon, at meetings legally warned and holden for that purpose, they shall become part of the constitution of this Commonwealth.

ART. X. The political year shall begin on the first Wednesday of January, instead of the last Wednesday of May; and the general court shall assemble every year on the said first Wednesday of January, and shall proceed, at that session, to make all the elections, and to do all the other acts, which are by the constitution required to be made and done at the session, which has heretofore commenced on the last Wednesday of May. And the general court shall be dissolved on the day next preceding the first Wednesday of January, without any proclamation or other act of the governor. But nothing herein contained shall prevent the general court from assembling at such other times as they shall judge necessary, or when called together by the governor. The governor, lieutenant-governor, and councillors shall also hold their respective offices for one year next following the first Wednesday of January, and until others are chosen and qualified in their stead.

The meeting for the choice of governor, lieutenant-governor, senators, and representatives, shall be held on the second Monday of November in every year; but meetings may be adjourned, if necessary, for the choice of representatives, to the next day, and again to the next succeeding day, but no further. But in case a second meeting shall be necessary for the choice of representatives, such meetings shall be held on the fourth Monday of the same month of November. [See Amendments, Article XV.]

All the other provisions of the constitution, respecting the elections and proceedings of the members of the general court, or of any other officers or persons whatever, that have reference to the last Wednesday of May as the commencement of the political year, shall be so far altered as to have like reference to the first Wednesday of January.

This article shall go into operation on the first day of October, next following the day when the same shall be duly ratified and adopted as an amendment of the constitution; and the governor, lieutenant-governor, councillors,

senators, representatives, and all other state officers, who are annually chosen, and who shall be chosen for the current year, when the same shall go into operation, shall hold their respective offices until the first Wednesday of January then next following, and until others are chosen and qualified in their stead, and no longer; and the first election of the governor, lieutenant-governor, senators, and representatives, to be had in virtue of this article, shall be had conformably thereunto, in the month of November following the day on which the same shall be in force and go into operation, pursuant to the foregoing provision.

All the provisions of the existing constitution, inconsistent with the provisions herein contained, are hereby wholly annulled.

ART. XI. Instead of the third article of the bill of rights, the following modification and amendment thereof is substituted: —

As the public worship of God, and instructions in piety, religion, and morality, promote the happiness and prosperity of a people, and the security of a republican government; therefore, the several religious societies of this Commonwealth, whether corporate or unincorporate, at any meeting legally warned and holden for that purpose, shall ever have the right to elect their pastors or religious teachers, to contract with them for their support, to raise money for erecting and repairing houses for public worship, for the maintenance of religious instruction, and for the payment of necessary expenses: and all persons belonging to any religious society shall be taken and held to be members, until they shall file with the clerk of said society a written notice declaring the dissolution of their membership, and thenceforth shall not be liable for any grant or contract which may be thereafter made or entered into by such society: and all religious sects and denominations, demeaning themselves peaceably, and as good citizens of the Commonwealth, shall

be equally under the protection of the law; and no subordination of any one sect or denomination to another shall ever be established by law.

ART. XII. In order to provide for a representation of the citizens of this Commonwealth, founded upon the principles of equality, a census of the ratable polls in each city, town and district of the Commonwealth, on the first day of May, shall be taken and returned into the secretary's office, in such manner as the legislature shall provide, within the month of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, and in every tenth year thereafter, in the month of May, in manner aforesaid: and each town or city having three hundred ratable polls at the last preceding decennial census of polls, may elect one representative, and for every four hundred and fifty ratable polls, in addition to the first three hundred, one representative more. [See Amendments, Article XIII.]

Any town having less than three hundred ratable polls shall be represented thus: The whole number of ratable polls at the last preceding decennial census of polls, shall be multiplied by ten, and the product divided by three hundred; and such town may elect one representative as many years within ten years, as three hundred is contained in the product aforesaid. [See Amendments, Article XIII.]

Any city or town, having ratable polls enough to elect one or more representatives, with any number of polls beyond the necessary number, may be represented, as to that surplus number, by multiplying such surplus number by ten, and dividing the product by four hundred and fifty; and such city or town may elect one additional representative as many years, within the ten years, as four hundred and fifty is contained in the product aforesaid. [See Amendments, Article XIII.]

Any two or more of the several towns and districts may, by consent of a majority of the legal voters present at a legal meeting in each of said towns and districts, respectively, called for that purpose, and held previous to the first day of July, in the year in which the decennial census of polls shall be taken, form themselves into a representative district, to continue until the next decennial census of polls, for the election of a representative or representatives; and such district shall have all the rights, in regard to representation, which would belong to a town containing the same number of ratable polls. [See Amendments, Article XIII.]

The governor and council shall ascertain and determine, within the months of July and August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, according to the foregoing principles, the number of representatives which each city, town and representative district is entitled to elect, and the number of years, within the period of ten years then next ensuing, that each city, town and representative district, may elect an additional representative; and where any town has not a sufficient number of polls to elect a representative each year, then, how many years within the ten years, such town may elect a representative: and the same shall be done once in ten years thereafter, by the governor and council, and the number of ratable polls in each decennial census of polls, shall determine the number of representatives which each city, town and representative district may elect as aforesaid; and when the number of representatives to be elected by each city, town or representative district is ascertained and determined as aforesaid, the governor shall cause the same to be published forthwith for the information of the people, and that number shall remain fixed and unalterable for the period of ten years. [See Amendments, Article XIII.]

All the provisions of the existing constitution inconsistent with the provisions herein contained, are hereby wholly annulled.

ART. XIII. A census of the inhabitants of each city and town, on the first day of May, shall be taken and returned into the secretary's office, on or before the last day of June, of the year one thousand eight hundred and forty, and of every tenth year thereafter; which census shall determine the apportionment of senators and representatives for the term of ten years.

The several senatorial districts now existing shall be permanent. The senate shall consist of forty members; and in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty, and every tenth year thereafter, the governor and council shall assign the number of senators to be chosen in each district, according to the number of inhabitants in the same. But, in all cases, at least one senator shall be assigned to each district.

The members of the house of representatives shall be apportioned in the following manner: Every town or city containing twelve hundred inhabitants, may elect one representative; and two thousand four hundred inhabitants shall be the mean increasing number, which shall entitle it to an additional representative.

Every town containing less than twelve hundred inhabitants shall be entitled to elect a representative as many times within ten years, as the number one hundred and sixty is contained in the number of the inhabitants of said town. Such towns may also elect one representative for the year in which the valuation of estates within the Commonwealth shall be settled.

Any two or more of the several towns may, by consent of a majority of the legal voters present at a legal meeting, in each of said towns, respectively, called for that purpose, and held before the first day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty, and every tenth year thereafter, form themselves into a representative district, to continue for the term of ten years; and such district shall have all the rights in regard to representation, which would belong to a town containing the same number of inhabitants.

The number of inhabitants which shall entitle a town to elect one representative, and the mean increasing number, which shall entitle a town or city to elect more than one, and also the number by which the population of towns, not entitled to a representative every year, is to be divided, shall be increased, respectively, by one tenth of the numbers above mentioned, whenever the population of the Commonwealth shall have increased to seven hundred and seventy thousand, and for every additional increase of seventy thousand inhabitants, the same addition of one tenth shall be made, respectively, to the said numbers above mentioned.

In the year of each decennial census, the governor and council shall, before the first day of September, apportion the number of representatives which each city, town and representative district is entitled to elect, and ascertain how many years, within ten years, any town may elect a representative, which is not entitled to elect one every year; and the governor shall cause the same to be published forthwith.

Nine councillors shall be annually chosen from among the people at large, on the first Wednesday of January, or as soon thereafter as may be, by the joint ballot of the senators and representatives, assembled in one room, who shall, as soon as may be, in a like manner, fill up any vacancies that may happen in the council, by death, resignation or otherwise. No person shall be elected a councillor who has not been an inhabitant of this Commonwealth for the term of five years immediately preceding his election; and not more than one councillor shall be chosen from any one senatorial district in the Commonwealth. [See Amendments, Article XVI.]

No possession of a freehold, or of any other estate, shall be required as a qualification for holding a seat in either branch of the general court, or in the executive council.

ART. XIV. In all elections of civil officers by the people of this Commonwealth, whose election is provided for by the

constitution, the person having the highest number of votes shall be deemed and declared to be elected.

ART. XV. The meeting for the choice of governor, lieutenant-governor, senators and representatives, shall be held on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, annually; but in case of a failure to elect representatives on that day, a second meeting shall be holden, for that purpose, on the fourth Monday of the same month of November.

ART. XVI. Eight councillors shall be annually chosen by the inhabitants of this Commonwealth, qualified to vote for governor. The election of councillors shall be determined by the same rule that is required in the election of governor. The legislature, at its first session after this amendment shall have been adopted, and at its first session after the next State census shall have been taken, and at its first session after each decennial State census thereafterwards, shall divide the Commonwealth into eight districts of contiguous territory, each containing a number of inhabitants as nearly equal as practicable, without dividing any town, or ward of a city, and each entitled to elect one councillor: *provided, however*, that if, at any time, the constitution shall provide for the division of the Commonwealth into forty senatorial districts, then the legislature shall so arrange the councillor districts, that each district shall consist of five contiguous senatorial districts, as they shall be, from time to time, established by the legislature. No person shall be eligible to the office of councillor who has not been an inhabitant of the Commonwealth for the term of five years immediately preceding his election. The day and manner of the election, the return of the votes, and the declaration of the said elections, shall be the same as are required in the election of governor. Whenever there shall be a failure to elect the full number of councillors, the vacancies shall be filled in the same manner as required for filling vacancies in the senate; and vacancies occasioned

by death, removal from the State, or otherwise, shall be filled in like manner as soon as may be after such vacancies shall have happened. And that there may be no delay in the organization of the government on the first Wednesday of January, the governor, with at least five councillors for the time being, shall, as soon as may be, examine the returned copies of the records for the election of governor, lieutenant-governor, and councillors; and ten days before the said first Wednesday in January, he shall issue his summons to such persons as appear to be chosen, to attend on that day to be qualified accordingly; and the secretary shall lay the returns before the senate and house of representatives on the said first Wednesday in January, to be by them examined; and in case of the election of either of said officers, the choice shall be by them declared and published; but in case there shall be no election of either of said officers, the legislature shall proceed to fill such vacancies in the manner provided in the constitution for the choice of such officers.

ART. XVII. The secretary, treasurer and receiver-general, auditor, and attorney-general, shall be chosen annually, on the day in November prescribed for the choice of governor; and each person then chosen as such, duly qualified in other respects, shall hold his office for the term of one year from the third Wednesday in January next thereafter, and until another is chosen and qualified in his stead. The qualification of the voters, the manner of the election, the return of the votes, and the declaration of the election, shall be such as are required in the election of governor. In case of a failure to elect either of said officers on the day in November aforesaid, or in case of the decease, in the mean time, of the person elected as such, such officer shall be chosen on or before the third Wednesday in January next thereafter, from the two persons who had the highest number of votes for said offices on the day in November aforesaid, by joint ballot of the

senators and representatives, in one room; and in case the office of secretary, or treasurer and receiver-general, or auditor, or attorney-general, shall become vacant, from any cause, during an annual or special session of the general court, such vacancy shall in like manner be filled by choice from the people at large; but if such vacancy shall occur at any other time, it shall be supplied by the governor by appointment, with the advice and consent of the council. The person so chosen or appointed, duly qualified in other respects, shall hold his office until his successor is chosen and duly qualified in his stead. In case any person chosen or appointed to either of the offices aforesaid, shall neglect, for the space of ten days after he could otherwise enter upon his duties, to qualify himself in all respects to enter upon the discharge of such duties, the office to which he has been elected or appointed shall be deemed vacant. No person shall be eligible to either of said offices unless he shall have been an inhabitant of this Commonwealth five years next preceding his election or appointment.

ART. XVIII. All moneys raised by taxation in the towns and cities for the support of public schools, and all moneys which may be appropriated by the State for the support of common schools, shall be applied to, and expended in, no other schools than those which are conducted according to law, under the order and superintendence of the authorities of the town or city in which the money is to be expended; and such moneys shall never be appropriated to any religious sect for the maintenance, exclusively, of its own schools.

ART. XIX. The legislature shall prescribe, by general law, for the election of sheriffs, registers of probate, commissioners of insolvency, and clerks of the courts, by the people of the several counties, and that district-attorneys shall be chosen by the people of the several districts, for such term of office as the legislature shall prescribe.

ART. XX. No person shall have the right to vote, or be eligible to office under the constitution of this Commonwealth, who shall not be able to read the constitution in the English language, and write his name : *provided, however,* that the provisions of this amendment shall not apply to any person prevented by a physical disability from complying with its requisitions, nor to any person who now has the right to vote, nor to any person who shall be sixty years of age or upwards at the time this amendment shall take effect.

ART. XXI. A census of the legal voters of each city and town, on the first day of May, shall be taken and returned into the office of the secretary of the Commonwealth, on or before the last day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; and a census of the inhabitants of each city and town, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and of every tenth year thereafter. In the census aforesaid, a special enumeration shall be made of the legal voters, and in each city said enumeration shall specify the number of such legal voters aforesaid residing in each ward of such city. The enumeration aforesaid shall determine the apportionment of representatives for the periods between the taking of the census.

The house of representatives shall consist of two hundred and forty members, which shall be apportioned by the legislature, at its first session after the return of each enumeration as aforesaid, to the several counties of the Commonwealth, equally, as near as may be, according to their relative number of legal voters, as ascertained by the next preceding special enumeration; and the town of Cohasset, in the county of Norfolk, shall, for this purpose, as well in the formation of districts, as hereinafter provided, be considered a part of the county of Plymouth; and it shall be the duty of the

secretary of the Commonwealth, to certify, as soon as may be after it is determined by the legislature, the number of representatives to which each county shall be entitled, to the board authorized to divide each county into representative districts. The mayor and aldermen of the city of Boston, the county commissioners of other counties than Suffolk, — or in lieu of the mayor and aldermen of the city of Boston, or of the county commissioners in each county other than Suffolk, such board of special commissioners in each county to be elected by the people of the county, or of the towns therein, as may for that purpose be provided by law, shall, on the first Tuesday of August next after each assignment of representatives to each county, assemble at a shire town of their respective counties, and proceed, as soon as may be, to divide the same into representative districts of contiguous territory, so as to apportion the representation assigned to each county equally, as nearly as may be, according to the relative number of legal voters in the several districts of each county; and such districts shall be so formed that no town or ward of a city shall be divided therefor, nor shall any district be made which shall be entitled to elect more than three representatives. Every representative, for one year at least next preceding his election, shall have been an inhabitant of the district for which he is chosen, and shall • cease to represent such district when he shall cease to be an inhabitant of the Commonwealth. The districts in each county shall be numbered by the board creating the same, and a description of each, with the numbers thereof, and the number of legal voters therein, shall be returned by the board, to the secretary of the Commonwealth, the county treasurer of each county, and to the clerk of every town in each district, to be filed and kept in their respective offices. The manner of calling and conducting the meetings for the choice of representatives, and of ascertaining their election, shall be prescribed by law. Not less than one hundred members of the house of representatives shall con-

stitute a quorum for doing business; but a less number may organize temporarily, adjourn from day to day, and compel the attendance of absent members.

ART. XXII. A census of the legal voters of each city and town, on the first day of May, shall be taken and returned into the office of the secretary of the Commonwealth, on or before the last day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven; and a census of the inhabitants of each city and town, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and of every tenth year thereafter. In the census aforesaid, a special enumeration shall be made of the legal voters, and in each city said enumeration shall specify the number of such legal voters aforesaid, residing in each ward of such city. The enumeration aforesaid shall determine the apportionment of senators for the periods between the taking of the census. The senate shall consist of forty members. The general court shall, at its first session after each next preceding special enumeration, divide the Commonwealth into forty districts of adjacent territory, each district to contain, as nearly as may be, an equal number of legal voters, according to the enumeration aforesaid: *provided, however,* that no town or ward of a city shall be divided therefor; and such districts shall be formed, as nearly as may be, without uniting two counties, or parts of two or more counties, into one district. Each district shall elect one senator, who shall have been an inhabitant of this Commonwealth five years at least immediately preceding his election, and at the time of his election shall be an inhabitant of the district for which he is chosen; and he shall cease to represent such senatorial district when he shall cease to be an inhabitant of the Commonwealth. Not less than sixteen senators shall constitute a quorum for doing business; but a less number may organize temporarily, adjourn from day to day, and compel the attendance of absent members.

ART. XXIII. No person of foreign birth shall be entitled to vote, or shall be eligible to office, unless he shall have resided within the jurisdiction of the United States for two years subsequent to his naturalization, and shall be otherwise qualified, according to the constitution and laws of this Commonwealth: *provided*, that this amendment shall not affect the rights which any person of foreign birth possessed at the time of the adoption thereof: and *provided, further*, that it shall not affect the rights of any child of a citizen of the United States, born during the temporary absence of the parent therefrom. [See Amendments, Article XXVI.]

ART. XXIV. Any vacancy in the senate shall be filled by election by the people of the unrepresented district, upon the order of a majority of senators elected.

ART. XXV. In case of a vacancy in the council, from a failure of election, or other cause, the senate and house of representatives shall, by concurrent vote, choose some eligible person from the people of the district wherein such vacancy occurs, to fill that office. If such vacancy shall happen when the legislature is not in session, the governor, with the advice and consent of the council, may fill the same by appointment of some eligible person.

ART. XXVI. The twenty-third article of the articles of amendment of the constitution of this Commonwealth, which is as follows, to wit: "No person of foreign birth shall be entitled to vote, or shall be eligible to office, unless he shall have resided within the jurisdiction of the United States for two years subsequent to his naturalization, and shall be otherwise qualified, according to the constitution and laws of this Commonwealth: *provided*, that this amendment shall not affect the rights which any person of foreign birth possessed at the time of the adoption thereof: and *provided, further*, that it shall not affect the rights of any child of a

citizen of the United States, born during the temporary absence of the parent therefrom," is hereby wholly annulled.

[NOTE. — Soon after the Declaration of Independence, steps were taken in Massachusetts towards framing a Constitution, or Form of Government. The Council and House of Representatives, or the General Court, of 1777-8, in accordance with a recommendation of the General Court, of the previous year, met together as a Convention, and adopted a form of Constitution "for the State of Massachusetts Bay," which was submitted to the people, and by them rejected. This attempt to form a Constitution having proved unsuccessful, the General Court on the 20th of February, 1779, passed a Resolve calling upon the qualified voters to give in their votes upon the questions — Whether they chose to have a new Constitution or Form of Government made, and, Whether they will empower their representatives to vote for calling a State Convention for that purpose. A large majority of the inhabitants having voted in the affirmative to both these questions, the General Court, on the 17th of June, 1779, passed a Resolve calling upon the inhabitants to meet and choose delegates to a Constitutional Convention, to be held at Cambridge, on the 1st of September, 1779. The Convention met at the time and place appointed, and organized by choosing James Bowdoin, President, and Samuel Barrett, Secretary. On the 11th of November the Convention adjourned, to meet at the Representatives' Chamber, in Boston, January 5th, 1780. On the 2d of March, of the same year, a form of Constitution having been agreed upon, a Resolve was passed by which the same was submitted to the people, and the Convention adjourned to meet at the Brattle Street Church, in Boston, June the 7th. At that time and place, the Convention again met and appointed a Committee to examine the returns of votes from the several towns. On the 14th of June the Committee reported, and on the 15th, the Convention resolved, "That the people of the State of Massachusetts Bay have accepted the Constitution as it stands, in the printed form submitted to their revision." A Resolve providing for carrying the new Constitution into effect, was passed, and the Convention then on the 16th of June, 1780, was finally dissolved. In accordance with the Resolves referred to, elections immediately took place in the several towns, and the first General Court of the COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS met at the State House, in Boston, on Wednesday, October 25th, 1780.

The Constitution contained a provision providing for taking, in 1795, the sense of the people as to the expediency or necessity of revising the original instrument. But no such revision was deemed

necessary at that time. On the 16th of June, 1820, an Act was passed by the General Court, calling upon the people to meet in their several towns, and give in their votes upon the question, "Is it expedient that Delegates should be chosen to meet in Convention for the purpose of revising or altering the Constitution of Government of this Commonwealth?" A large majority of the people of the State having voted in favor of revision, the Governor issued a proclamation announcing the fact, and calling upon the people to vote, in accordance with the provisions of the aforesaid Act, for delegates to the proposed Convention. The delegates met at the State House, in Boston, November 15, 1820, and organized by choosing John Adams, President, and Benjamin Pollard, Secretary. Mr. Adams, however, declined the appointment, and Isaac Parker was chosen in his stead. On the 9th of January, 1821, the Convention agreed to fourteen Articles of Amendment, and after passing a Resolve providing for submitting the same to the people, and appointing a Committee to meet to count the votes upon the subject, was dissolved. The people voted on Monday, April 19, 1821, and the Committee of the Convention met at the State House, to count the votes, on Wednesday, May 24th. They made their return to the General Court, and at the request of the latter, the Governor issued his proclamation on the 5th of June, 1821, announcing that nine of the fourteen Articles of Amendments had been adopted. These articles are numbered in the preceding pages from *one* to *nine*, inclusive.

The *tenth* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the political years, 1829-30, and 1830-31, and was approved and ratified by the people, May 11th, 1831.

The *eleventh* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the political years 1832 and 1833, and was approved and ratified by the people, November 11th, 1833.

The *twelfth* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1835 and 1836, and was approved and ratified by the people, November 14th, 1836.

The *thirteenth* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court during the sessions of the years 1839 and 1840, and was approved and ratified by the people, April 6th, 1840.

The General Court of the year 1851 passed an Act calling a third Convention to revise the Constitution. The Act was submitted to the people, and a majority voted against the proposed Convention. In 1852, on the 7th of May, another Act was passed calling upon the people to vote upon the question of calling a Constitutional Convention. A majority of the people having voted in favor of the proposed Convention, election for delegates thereto took place in March, 1853. The Convention met in the State House, in Boston, on

the 4th day of May, 1853, and organized by choosing Nathaniel P. Banks, Jr., President, and William S. Robinson and James T. Robinson, Secretaries. On the 1st of August, this Convention agreed to a form of Constitution, and on the same day was dissolved, after having provided for submitting the same to the people, and appointed a Committee to meet to count the votes, and to make a return thereof to the General Court. The Committee met at the time and place agreed upon, and found that the proposed Constitution had been rejected.

The *fourteenth, fifteenth, sixteenth, seventeenth, eighteenth, and nineteenth* Articles of Amendment were adopted by the General Court during the sessions of 1854 and 1855, and were approved and ratified by the people, May 23, 1855.

The *twentieth, twenty-first, and twenty-second* Articles of Amendment were adopted by the General Court of 1856 and 1857, and were approved and ratified by the people, May 1st, 1857.

The *twenty-third* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court of 1858 and 1859, and was approved and ratified by the people, May 9th, 1859.

The *twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth* Articles of Amendment were adopted by the General Court of 1859 and 1860, and were approved and ratified by the people, May 17th, 1860.

The *twenty-sixth* Article of Amendment was adopted by the General Court of 1862 and 1863, and was approved and ratified, April 6th, 1863.]

CHAPTER CCXLV.

AN ACT to regulate the Times and Manner of holding
Elections for Senators in Congress.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the legislature of each state which shall be chosen next preceding the expiration of the time for which any senator was elected to represent said State in Congress, shall, on the second Tuesday after the meeting and organization thereof, proceed to elect a senator in Congress, in the place of such senator so going out of office, in the following manner: Each house shall openly, by a viva voce vote of each member present, name one person for senator in Congress from said state, and the name of the person so voted for, who shall have a majority of the whole number of votes cast in each house, shall be entered on the journal of each house by the clerk or secretary thereof; but if either house shall fail to give such majority to any person on said day, that fact shall be entered on the journal. At twelve o'clock, meridian, on the day following that on which proceedings are required to take place, as aforesaid, the members of the two houses shall convene in joint assembly, and the journal of each house shall then be read, and if the same person shall have received a majority of all the votes in each house, such person shall be declared duly elected senator to represent said state in the Congress of the United States; but if the same person shall not have received a majority of the votes in each house, or if either house shall have failed to take proceedings as required by this act, the joint assembly shall then proceed to choose, by a viva voce vote of each mem-

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ber present, a person for the purpose aforesaid, and the person having a majority of all the votes of the said joint assembly, a majority of all the members elected to both houses being present and voting, shall be declared duly elected; and in case no person shall receive such majority on the first day, the joint assembly shall meet at twelve o'clock, meridian, of each succeeding day during the session of the legislature, and take at least one vote, until a senator shall be elected.

SECT. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That whenever, on the meeting of the legislature of any State, a vacancy shall exist in the representation of such State in the senate of the United States, said legislature shall proceed, on the second Tuesday after the commencement and organization of its session, to elect a person to fill such vacancy, in the manner hereinbefore provided for the election of a senator for a full term; and if a vacancy shall happen during the session of the legislature, then on the second Tuesday after the legislature shall have been organized, and shall have notice of such vacancy.

SECT. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That it shall be the duty of the governor of the State from which any senator shall have been chosen as aforesaid, to certify his election, under the seal of the State, to the president of the senate of the United States, which certificate shall be countersigned by the secretary of state of the State. *Approved July 25, 1866.*

STATISTICS.

HISTORICAL, STATE, COUNTY, DISTRICT,
POST-OFFICE, Etc., Etc, Etc.

[The following Table is copied from the "Abstract of the Census of 1860," prepared in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth by GEORGE WINGATE CHASE, and published in 1863. The compilers of the Manual have made the alterations and additions necessary to bring the facts up to 1875.]

BARNSTABLE COUNTY, INCORPORATED JUNE 2, 1685.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Barnstable, | Sept. 3, 1639, | Indian names, Chequoeket, Coattuit, &c. |
| Brewster, | Feb. 19, 1803, | Indian name, Sawkattunkett. Northerly part of Harwich. Part of Harwich annexed to Brewster, June 21, 1811. |
| Chatham, | June 11, 1712, | Indian name, Manamolt. Boundary line between it and Orleans, and also between it and Harwich changed, 1802. |
| Dennis, | June 19, 1793, | East Precinct of Yarmouth. |
| Eastham, | June 2, 1646, | Indian name, Nauset. See <i>Orleans</i> . |
| Falmouth, | June 4, 1686, | Indian name, Succauesset. Part of Marshpee annexed to Falmouth, March 17, 1841. See <i>Mashpee</i> . |
| Harwich, | Sept. 14, 1694, | Indian name, Satucket. See <i>Brewster</i> and <i>Chatham</i> . |
| Mashpee, | May 28, 1870, | Plantation of Marshpee incorporated June 14, 1763, except parts annexed to Falmouth and Sandwich, incorporated as District of Marshpee, March 31, 1864. See <i>Falmouth</i> and <i>Sandwich</i> . |

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| Orleans, . . . | Mar. 3, 1797, | Southerly part of Eastham. Part of Eastham annexed to Orleans, March 9, 1834. Boundary line between it and Eastham defined, March 23, 1867. See <i>Chatham</i> . |
| Provincetown, . . . | June 14, 1727, | Cape Cod Precinct. Parts of Truro annexed to Provincetown, June 12, 1813, March 2, 1829, and March 30, 1836. |
| Sandwich, . . . | Sept. 3, 1639, | Indian name, Shanne. Parts of Marshpee annexed to Sandwich, February 26, 1811, April 1, 1859, and March 13, 1869. See <i>Mashpee</i> . |
| Truro, . . . | July 16, 1709, | Indian name, Pawmet or Meeshawn. Boundary line between Truro and Wellfleet established, February 22, 1837. See <i>Provincetown</i> . |
| Wellfleet, . . . | June 16, 1763, | Indian name, Pimoukanit. North Precinct of Eastham. Incorporated as a District.* See <i>Truro</i> . |
| Yarmouth, . . . | Sept. 3, 1639, | Indian name, Mattacheese or Nobscuset. See <i>Dennis</i> . |

BERKSHIRE COUNTY, INCORPORATED APRIL 24, 1761. See *Hampshire County*.

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| Adams, . . . | Oct. 15, 1778, | East Hoosuck. See <i>Cheshire</i> . |
| Alford, . . . | Feb. 16, 1773, | Westerly part of Great Barrington. Part of Great Barrington annexed to Alford, February 18, 1819. See <i>Egremont</i> . |
| Becket, . . . | June 21, 1765, | "No. 4." Several grants of land annexed to Becket, February 3, 1798. Part of Loudon (Bethlehem) annexed to Becket, March 1, 1810. See <i>Middlefield</i> . |

* By an Act of March 23, 1786, all places incorporated by the name of Districts before the first day of January, 1777, were "declared to be towns, to every intent and purpose whatever." By the same Act, Districts incorporated subsequent to 1777, were vested with similar powers and privileges.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| <i>Boston Corner (Dist.),</i> | Apr. 14, 1838, | Incorporated as a District, from unincorporated land. Boundary line between Mount Washington and Boston Corner established, March 12, 1847. Boston Corner (940 acres and 73 inhabitants) ceded to State of New York, May 14, 1853. |
| Cheshire, . . . | Mar. 14, 1793, | From parts of Lanesboro', Windsor, Adams and New Ashford. Part of New Ashford annexed to Cheshire, February 6, 1798. See <i>Windsor</i> . |
| Clarksburg, . . . | Mar. 2, 1798, | From a Gore of unincorporated land, lying north of Adams. See <i>Florida</i> . |
| Dalton, . . . | Mar. 20, 1784, | [28, 1795. Ashuelot Equivalent. Part of Windsor annexed to Dalton, February |
| Egremont, . . . | Feb. 13, 1760, | From lands lying west of Sheffield. Boundary line between Egremont and Alford established February 6, 1790. Parts of Sheffield annexed to Egremont, February 22, 1790, and February 16, 1824; and part of Mt. Washington, June 17, 1817. Boundary line between it and Sheffield established 1869. See <i>Mt. Washington</i> . |
| Florida, . . . | June 15, 1805, | From Barnardstone's (Bernardston's) Grant, and a part of Bullock's Grant (unincorporated lands). Part of Clarksburg annexed to Florida, May 2, 1848. |
| Great Barrington, . . . | June 30, 1761, | North Parish of Sheffield. Upper Hoosatonmuck. See <i>Alford</i> . |
| Hancock, . . . | July 2, 1776, | Jericho. See <i>New Ashford</i> . |
| Hinsdale, . . . | June 21, 1804, | Westerly Parish of Partridgefield. |

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| Lanesborough, . . . | June 21, 1765, | New Framingham. See <i>Cheshire</i> . |
| Lee, . . . | Oct. 21, 1777, | From the south-westerly part of Washington, north-easterly part of Great Barrington (or Hopeland's, so called), the Glass Works Grant and part of William's Grant. See <i>Lenox</i> . |
| Lenox, . . . | Feb. 26, 1767, | East part of Richmond. Parts of Washington annexed to Lenox, January 31, 1795, and February 18, 1802. Boundary line between Lenox and Lee established February 7, 1820. |
| Monterey, . . . | Apr. 12, 1847, | Part of Tyringham. Part of New Marlborough annexed to Monterey, May 24, 1851. |
| Mt. Washington, . . | June 21, 1779, | Tauntoncock (Taonic) Mountain. Part of Egremont annexed to Mount Washington, June 17, 1817. Boundary line established March 12, 1847. See <i>Egremont</i> and <i>Boston Corner</i> . |
| New Ashford, . . . | Feb. 26, 1781, | Incorporated as a District, February 26, 1781, and as a Town, May 1, 1836. Part of Hancock annexed to New Ashford, June 26, 1798. See <i>Cheshire</i> . |
| New Marlborough, . . | June 15, 1759, | "No. 2." Parts of Sheffield annexed to New Marlborough, June 10, 1795, and February 7, 1798, and April 19, 1871; and parts of Tyringham, February 27, 1811. See <i>Monterey</i> and <i>Tyringham</i> . |
| Otis, . . . | June 13, 1810, | Town of London and District of Bethlehem united as the Town of London, June 19, 1809, and the name changed to Otis, June 13, 1810. Part of East 11,000 acres of unincorporated land annexed to Otis and part to Sandisfield, April 9, 1838. See <i>Bethlehem</i> . |
| Bethlehem (District), . | June 24, 1789, | North 11,000 acres. See <i>Otis</i> . |
| London, . . . | Feb. 24, 1773, | Tyringham Equivalent. See <i>Becket</i> and <i>Otis</i> . |

BERKSHIRE COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Peru, | July 4, 1771, | Partridgefield incorporated July 4, 1771, and name changed to Peru, June 19, 1866. |
| <i>Partridgefield</i> , . . . | July 4, 1771, | See <i>Peru</i> , <i>Hinsdale</i> and <i>Middlefield</i> . |
| Pittsfield, | Apr. 21, 1761, | Indian name, Pontoosuck. |
| Richmond, | June 21, 1765, | Yokum and Mount Ephraim. Name changed from Richmond in 1785. Boundary line between Richmond and West Stockbridge established March 24, 1834. See <i>Lenox</i> . |
| Sandisfield, | Mar. 6, 1762, | "No. 3." District of Southfield united with Sandisfield, February 8, 1819. Portion of boundary line between Sandisfield and Tolland defined May 4, 1853. See <i>Otis</i> and <i>Southfield</i> . |
| <i>Southfield (District)</i> , . | June 19, 1797, | South 11,000 acres. See <i>Sandisfield</i> . |
| Savoy, | Feb. 20, 1797, | "No. 6." |
| Sheffield, | June 22, 1733, | Lower Housatonic. See <i>Egremont</i> and <i>New Marlborough</i> . |
| Stockbridge, | June 22, 1739, | Housatonic or Housatonic. Boundary line between Stockbridge and West Stockbridge changed, February 6, 1830. See <i>West Stockbridge</i> . |
| Tyringham, | Mar. 6, 1762, | "No. 1." Part of New Marlborough annexed to Tyringham, February 11, 1812. See <i>New Marlborough</i> and <i>Monterey</i> . |

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| Washington, . . . | Apr. 12, 1777, | Hartwood. See <i>Egremont, Middlefield and Lenox.</i> |
| West Stockbridge, . . . | Feb. 23, 1774, | West part of Stockbridge. Gore of land annexed to West Stockbridge, March 2, 1793. Part of Stockbridge annexed to West Stockbridge, February 12, 1824. See <i>Richmond and Stockbridge.</i> |
| Williamstown, . . . | June 21, 1765, | West Hoosuck. A tract of unincorporated land, bounded west by State of New York, annexed to Williamstown, April 9, 1838. |
| Windsor, . . . | July 2, 1771, | Gageboro' or "No. 4." Part of Cheshire annexed to Windsor, February 26, 1794. See <i>Cheshire and Dalton.</i> |

BRISTOL COUNTY, INCORPORATED JUNE 21, 1685.

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| Acushnet, . . . | Feb. 13, 1860, | Northerly part of Fairhaven. |
| Attleborough, . . . | Oct. 19, 1694, | North Purchase. Boundary line between Attleborough and Wrentham established, February 18, 1819. |
| Berkley, . . . | Apr. 18, 1735, | From parts of Taunton and Dighton. Part of Dighton annexed to Berkley, February 26, 1799, and parts of Taunton, February 6, 1810, and March 3, 1842. See <i>Freetown.</i> |
| Dartmouth, . . . | June 8, 1664, | Indian names, Apponeganset, Acushena and Cockset. Boundary line between Dartmouth and Westport changed, February 20, 1828. See <i>Westport.</i> |
| Dighton, . . . | May 30, 1712, | South Precinct of Taunton. Wellington set off from north part of Dighton, June 9, 1814. Boundary line between Dighton and Wellington established, February 12, 1824. Wellington and Dighton united as one town, February 22, 1826, and March 3, 1827. See <i>Berkley, Somerset and Freetown.</i> |

BRISTOL COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| <i>Wellington</i> , . . . | June 8, 1814, | North part of Dighton. See <i>Dighton</i> . |
| <i>Easton</i> , . . . | Dec. 21, 1725, | Indian name, Hoekamoek. Part of Norton. |
| <i>Fairhaven</i> , . . . | Feb. 22, 1812, | Easterly part of New Bedford. Part of Freetown annexed to Fairhaven, June 15, 1815. See <i>Acushnet</i> and <i>Rochester</i> . |
| <i>Fall River</i> , . . . | Feb. 26, 1803, | Southerly part of Freetown. Name of Fall River changed to Troy, June 18, 1804. Name of Troy changed to Fall River, February 12, 1834. Incorporated as a City, April 12, 1854. Act accepted, April 23, 1854. Part of Fall River, Rhode Island, annexed to Fall River, Mass., 1861. See <i>Freetown</i> and <i>Pawtucket</i> . |
| <i>Freetown</i> , . . . | July —, 1683, | The Free Men's land at Fall River. Centre of main ship channel in Taunton Great River established as boundary line of Berkley, Dighton, Free town, Fall River and Somerset, March 17, 1847. See <i>Fairhaven</i> and <i>Fall River</i> . |
| <i>Mansfield</i> , . . . | Apr. 26, 1770, | North Precinct of Norton. Incorporated as a District. See note, page 103. |
| <i>New Bedford</i> , . . . | Feb. 23, 1787, | Easterly part of Dartmouth. Indian name, Acushnett, or Akushenett. Part of Dartmouth annexed to New Bedford, March 20, 1845. Incor. porated as a City, March 9, 1847. Act accepted, March 18, 1847. See <i>Dartmouth</i> and <i>Fairhaven</i> . |
| <i>Norton</i> , . . . | June 12, 1711, | North Precinct of Taunton. See <i>Easton</i> and <i>Mansfield</i> . |

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| <i>Pawtucket</i> (R. I.), [1] | Mar. | 1, 1828, | Part of Seekonk. By change of the boundary line between Massachusetts and Rhode Island, in 1861, all of Pawtucket, except that part lying easterly of Seven Mile River, was annexed to Rhode Island. The accepted part was the same year annexed to the town of Seekonk. |
| Raynham, | Apr. | 2, 1731, | Part of Taunton. Boundary line between the two places established, 1866. |
| Rehoboth, | June | 4, 1645, | Indian name, Seconet. See <i>Seekonk</i> . |
| Seekonk, | Feb. | 26, 1812, | Westerly part of Rehoboth. Part of Seekonk annexed to Rhode Island, [1861. See <i>Pawtucket</i> . |
| Somerset, | Feb. | 20, 1790, | Indian name, Shewamet. A part of Swanzeey. Part of Dighton annexed to Somerset, April 4, 1854. See <i>Freetown</i> . |
| Swansea, | Oct. | 30, 1667, | Indian names, Mattapolset, Wannamoisset and Ashuelot. See <i>Somerset</i> . |
| Taunton, | Sept. | 3, 1630, | Indian name, Tecticut, or Cohannet. See <i>Berkley</i> . Act of incorporation as a City granted, March 31, 1860; refused by the town, April, 1860. Act again granted, May 13, 1864, and accepted. See <i>Lakeville</i> (in Plymouth County); also <i>Raynham</i> . |
| Westport, | July | 2, 1787, | Indian name, Acocket. Parts of Dartmouth annexed to Westport, February 25, 1793, February 28, 1785, and March 4, 1805. Part of Portsmouth, Rhode Island, annexed to Westport in 1861. See <i>Dartmouth</i> and <i>Pawtucket</i> . |

DUKES COUNTY, INCORPORATED NOVEMBER 1, 1683.

Indian name, Cappawock or Capawack. Martha's Vineyard.

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| Edgartown, | July | 8, 1671, | Indian name, Chappequidick. Boundary line between Edgartown and Tisbury established, February 5, 1830; also April 23, 1862. |
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DUKES COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Chilmark, | Oct. 30, 1714, | Indian name, Nashuakemniuk. Manor of Tisbury. In 1820, Chilmark included the Elizabeth Isles. Boundary line between Chilmark and the Indians of Gay Head established, March 9, 1855. See <i>Gay Head</i> and <i>Gosnold</i> . |
| Gay Head, | Apr. 30, 1870, | Part of Chilmark. |
| Gosnold, | Mar. 17, 1864, | That part of Chilmark known as the Elizabeth Islands. |
| Tisbury, | July 8, 1671, | Indian name, Chappaquonsett. In 1810, Tisbury included the Elizabeth Isles. See <i>Chilmark</i> and <i>Edgartown</i> . |

ESSEX COUNTY, INCORPORATED MAY 10, 1643. See *Norfolk County*.

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| Amesbury, | Apr. 29, 1668, | New Salisbury, or Salisbury New-town; a part of Salisbury. Part of Salisbury annexed to Amesbury, March 15, 1844. Authorized by Acts of April 30, 1864, and April 2, 1870, to unite with Salisbury and become a new town, called Merrimac; both Acts rejected. |
| Andover, | May 6, 1646, | Indian name, Cochichawick, or Quichitchek. See <i>North Andover</i> , <i>Middleton</i> , and <i>Lawrence</i> . |
| Boxford, | Aug. 12, 1685, | Rowley Village. Part of Rowley annexed to Boxford, June 10, 1808; and part of Ipswich, March 7, 1846. Boundary line between Boxford and Rowley established, June 18, 1825. See <i>Groveland</i> and <i>Middleton</i> . |

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| Beverly, | . | . | . | Oct. 14, 1668, | Bass River. See <i>Danvers</i> . |
| Bradford, | . | . | . | —, 1675, | Merrimack. Union of with Haverhill authorized June 12, 1869; Act rejected. Union again authorized in 1872, and again rejected. See <i>Grove-land</i> and <i>Newbury</i> . |
| Danvers, | . | . | . | June 16, 1757, | Village and Middle Parishes of Salem. A District, January 28, 1752. Boundary line between Danvers and Salem changed, March 17, 1840. May 18, 1855, Danvers was divided into two towns; that part known as North Danvers received the name of Danvers, and the remaining portion the name of South Danvers. Boundary line between Danvers and South Danvers established May 31, 1856. Part of Beverly annexed to Danvers, April 27, 1857. |
| Essex, | . | . | . | Feb. 18, 1819, | Chebacco. Second Parish of Ipswich. |
| Georgetown, | . | . | . | Apr. 21, 1838, | New Rowley. Part of Rowley. |
| Gloucester, | . | . | . | May 22, 1639, | Cape Ann. Indian names, Wynglersheck and Tragabigzanda. See <i>Rock-port</i> . Incorporated as a City, May 26, 1871; Act rejected by the voters. Incorporated as a City, April 28, 1873, and Act accepted by the people. |
| Groveland, | . | . | . | Mar. 8, 1850, | East Parish of Bradford. Part of Boxford annexed to Groveland, March 21, 1856. |
| Hamilton, | . | . | . | June 21, 1793, | Ipswich Hamlet. A Parish of Ipswich. |
| Haverhill, | . | . | . | —, 1645, | Indian name, Pentucket. Haverhill originally included a large part of the territory of the present Towns of Salem, Plattsow, Atkinson and Hampstead in New Hampshire, and Methuen and Lawrence, Massachusetts. Made a City by Act approved March 10, 1869, and vote of the people. See <i>Bradford</i> . |
| Ipswich, | . | . | . | Aug. 5, 1634, | Indian name, Agawam. See <i>Borford</i> , <i>Essex</i> and <i>Hamilton</i> . |

ESSEX COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Lawrence, | Apr. 17, 1847, | From parts of Andover and Methuen. Incorporated as a City, March 21, 1853. Act accepted, March 29, 1853. Small portion of Methuen annexed to Lawrence, April 4, 1854. See <i>Haverhill</i> . |
| Lynn, | Nov. —, 1637, | Indian name, Sagus or Saugus. Boundary line between Lynn and Chelsea defined, July 21, 1830. Incorporated as a City, April 10, 1850. Act accepted, May 14, 1850. See <i>Chelsea, Lynnfield, Nahant and Saugus</i> . |
| Lynnfield, | July 3, 1782, | Set off from Lynn, and incorporated as a District, July 3, 1782. Incorporated as a Town, February 28, 1814. Boundary line between Lynnfield and Reading established, April 20, 1854. Line between it and Wakefield defined, 1876. See <i>North Reading</i> . |
| Manchester, | May 14, 1645, | Jeffry's Creek. |
| Marblehead, | May 2, 1649, | Marble-harbor. |
| Methuen, | Dec. 8, 1725, | Part of Haverhill. See <i>Laurence and Haverhill</i> . |
| Middleton, | June 20, 1728, | From parts of Salem, Topsfield, Boxford and Andover. |
| Nahant, | Mar. 29, 1853, | Set off from Lynn. |
| Newbury, | May 6, 1635, | Indian names, Quasacumquen and Wessaucous. Boundary line between Newbury and Bradford established, June 16, 1809. See <i>Newburyport and West Newbury</i> . |

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| North Andover, . . . | Apr. 7, 1855, | North Parish of Andover. |
| Newburyport, . . . | Jan. 28, 1764, | Part of Newbury. Part of Newbury annexed to Newburyport, April 17, 1851. |
| Peabody, . . . | May 18, 1855, | See <i>South Danvers</i> . |
| Rockport, . . . | Feb. 27, 1840, | Part of Gloucester. |
| Rowley, . . . | Sept. 4, 1639, | See <i>Borford</i> and <i>Georgetown</i> . |
| ∞ Salem, . . . | June 24, 1629, | Indian name, Naumkeag, or Naumkeake. Incorporated as a City, March 23, 1836. Act accepted April 4, 1836. Part of annexed to Swampscott, April 3, 1867. See <i>Danvers</i> , <i>South Danvers</i> and <i>Middleton</i> . |
| Salisbury, . . . | Oct. 7, 1640, | Colchester. See <i>Amesbury</i> . |
| Saugus, . . . | Feb. 17, 1815, | Part of Lynn. Part of Chelsea annexed to Saugus, February 22, 1841. See <i>Lynn</i> . |
| <i>South Danvers</i> , . . . | May 18, 1855, | See <i>Danvers</i> . Boundary line between South Danvers and Salem changed, April 30, 1856. Name changed to Peabody by Act of April 13, 1868; approved by the people. |
| Swampscott, . . . | May 21, 1852, | Easterly part of Lynn. See <i>Salem</i> . |
| Topsfield, . . . | Oct. 18, 1650, | New Meadows. See <i>Middleton</i> . |
| Wenham, . . . | May 10, 1643, | Enon, or Salem Village. |
| West Newbury, . . . | June 14, 1820, | Parsons, a part of Newbury. See <i>Parsons</i> . |
| <i>Parsons</i> , . . . | Feb. 18, 1819, | Part of Newbury. Name changed to West Newbury, June 14, 1820. |

FRANKLIN COUNTY, INCORPORATED JUNE 24, 1811. See *Hampshire County.*

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Ashfield, . . . | June 21, 1765, | Huntstown. |
| Bernardston, . . | Mar. 6, 1762, | Falltown. Part of Deerfield annexed to Bernardston, April 14, 1838. See <i>Leyden.</i> |
| Buckland, . . . | Apr. 14, 1779, | "No-town." Part of Conway annexed to Buckland, April 14, 1838. |
| Charlemont, . . | June 21, 1765, | Plantation of Charlemont. See <i>Rowe, Heath and Shelburne.</i> |
| Zoar, . . . | - - - | See <i>Rowe.</i> |
| Coleraine, . . . | June 30, 1761, | Colrain. |
| Conway, . . . | June 16, 1767, | South-west part of Deerfield. Part of Deerfield annexed to Conway, June 17, 1791. Boundary line between Conway, Deerfield and Whately defined, June 21, 1811. See <i>Buckland.</i> |
| Deerfield, . . . | May 24, 1682, | Indian name, Paucumtuck or Pocomtuck. See <i>Bernardston, Conway, Shelburne and Whately.</i> |
| Erving, . . . | Apr. 17, 1838, | Erving's Grant. Part of Northfield—known as Hack's Grant—annexed to Erving, February 10, 1860. See <i>New Salem and Orange.</i> |
| Gill, . . . | Sept. 28, 1793, | Easterly part of Greenfield. Part of Northfield annexed to Gill, February 28, 1795; and Great Island, in Connecticut River, March 14, 1805. |
| Greenfield, . . . | June 9, 1753, | North-easterly part of Deerfield. See <i>Gill.</i> |

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| Hawley, . . . | Feb. 7, 1792, | Plantation No. 7. See <i>Plainfield</i> . |
| Heath, . . . | Feb. 14, 1785, | North-easterly part of Charlemont. |
| Leverett, . . . | May 5, 1774, | Part of Sunderland. |
| Leyden, . . . | Feb. 22, 1809, | Part of Bernardston. District of Leyden. |
| Monroe, . . . | Feb. 21, 1822, | From a part of Rowe, and the Gore north of Florida. |
| Montague, . . . | Dec. 22, 1753, | North Parish of Sunderland. See <i>Wendell</i> . |
| New Salem, . . . | June 15, 1753, | Part of Shutesbury annexed to New Salem, February 20, 1824. See <i>Prescott, Athol and Orange</i> . |
| Northfield, . . . | Feb. 22, 1713, | Indian name, Squakeag. See <i>Erving and Gill</i> . |
| Orange, . . . | Feb. 24, 1810, | District of Orange. Parts of Erving's Grant and New Salem annexed to Orange, March 16, 1837. Boundary line between Orange and Erving established, February 27, 1841. See <i>Athol</i> . |
| Rowe, . . . | Feb. 9, 1785, | Myrfield and several tracts of land. Part of Zoar, in Berkshire County, annexed to Rowe, and part to Charlemont, April 2, 1838. See <i>Monroe and Zoar</i> . |
| Shelburne, . . . | June 21, 1768, | North-westerly part of Deerfield. Gore of land annexed to Shelburne and Charlemont, March 19, 1703. |
| Shutesbury, . . . | June 30, 1761, | Roads-town. See <i>New Salem</i> . |
| Sunderland, . . . | Nov. 12, 1714, | Swampfield. See <i>Leverett and Montague</i> . |
| Warwick, . . . | Feb. 17, 1763, | Roxbury Canada. |

FRANKLIN COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Wendell, . . . | May 8, 1781, | Part of Shutesbury and Erving-shire. Part of Montague and a Gore of land annexed to Wendell, February 28, 1803. |
| Whately, . . . | Apr. 24, 1771, | North part of Hatfield. Part of Deerfield annexed to Whately, March 5, 1810. Boundary line between Williamsburg and Whately established, February 2, 1849. See <i>Conway</i> . |

HAMPDEN COUNTY, INCORPORATED FEBRUARY 20, 1812. See *Hampshire County*.

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| Agawam, . . . | May 17, 1835, | Part of West Springfield:—The Parishes of Feeding Hills and Agawam. |
| Blandford, . . . | Apr. 10, 1741, | Glasgow. Boundary line between Blandford and Chester established, February 22, 1809, and June 13, 1810, and between Blandford and Russell, February 23, 1809. See <i>Norwich</i> . |
| Brimfield, . . . | July 14, 1731, | - - - - - |
| Chester, . . . | Oct. 31, 1765, | Murrayfield. Name changed to Chester in 1783. See <i>Blandford, Norwich, Middlefield and Worthington</i> . |
| Chicopee, . . . | Apr. 29, 1848, | Northerly part of Springfield. |
| Granville, . . . | Jan. 25, 1754, | Bedford. First incorporated as a District. See <i>Tolland</i> . |

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| Holland, . . . | July 5, 1785, | East Parish of South Brimfield. Incorporated as a District, July 5, 1785, and as a Town, May 1, 1836. See <i>Wales</i> . |
| Holyoke, . . . | Mar. 14, 1850, | Part of West Springfield. Incorporated as a City, April 7, 1873. |
| Longmeadow, . . . | Oct. 17, 1783, | Indian name, Masacsick. Second Parish of Springfield. |
| Ludlow, . . . | Feb. 28, 1774, | Stony Hill. See <i>Springfield</i> . |
| Monson, . . . | Apr. 25, 1760, | Westerly part of Brimfield. Boundary line between Monson and Palmer established, February 8, 1828. |
| Montgomery, . . . | Nov. 28, 1780, | Easterly part of "No. 5." Part of Norwich and Southampton annexed to Montgomery, March 6, 1792. See <i>Russell</i> . |
| Palmer, . . . | Jan. 30, 1752, | The Elbows. Part of Western annexed to Palmer, February 7, 1831. See <i>Monson</i> . |
| Russell, . . . | Feb. 25, 1792, | North-westerly part of Westfield, and part of Montgomery. See <i>Blandford</i> . |
| <i>South Brimfield</i> , . . . | Sept. 18, 1762, | See <i>Wales</i> . |
| Southwick, . . . | Nov. 17, 1770, | Southerly part of Westfield. First incorporated as a District. See <i>Westfield</i> . |
| Springfield, . . . | May 14, 1636, | Indian name, Agawam. Organized as a Town, May 14, 1636, O. S. Boundary line between Springfield and Ludlow established, June 5, 1830. Incorporated as a City, April 12, 1852. Act accepted, April 21, 1852. See <i>West Springfield</i> , <i>Wilbraham</i> , <i>Longmeadow</i> and <i>Chicopee</i> . |
| Tolland, . . . | June 14, 1810, | West Parish of Granville. See <i>Sandisfield</i> . |

HAMPDEN COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Wales, | Sept. 18, 1762, | South Brimfield incorporated as a District, September 18, 1762, and as the Town of Wales, February 20, 1828. See <i>Holland</i> . |
| Westfield, . . . | May 16, 1669, | Indian name, Woronoack, or Waranoke. Boundary line between Westfield and Southwick changed, March 20, 1837. See <i>Southwick, Russell</i> and <i>West Springfield</i> . |
| West Springfield, . | Feb. 23, 1774, | West part of Springfield. Part of Westfield annexed to West Springfield, March 3, 1802. See <i>Agawam</i> and <i>Holyoke</i> . |
| Wilbraham, . . . | June 15, 1763, | Fourth Parish of Springfield. A tract of land called the Elbows annexed to Wilbraham, June 11, 1799. |

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY, INCORPORATED MAY 7, 1602.

April 27, 1761, the County of Hampshire was divided into two Counties, the westerly part taking the name of Berkshire. June 24, 1811, the northerly part of Hampshire was erected into a new County by the name of Franklin; and February 20, 1812, the southerly portion of the remaining part was incorporated as the County of Hampden.

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| Amherst, | Feb. 13, 1739, | Second Precinct of Hadley. Parts of Hadley annexed to Amherst, February 28, 1811, February 18, 1812, and February 17, 1814. |
| Belchertown, . . | June 30, 1761, | Cold Stream. See <i>Enfield</i> . |

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| Chesterfield, . | . | June 11, 1762, | New Hingham. Part of Norwich annexed to Chesterfield, February 22, 1794. Boundary line between Chesterfield and Goshen established, February 7, 1797; and between Chesterfield, Goshen and Williamsburg, February 16, 1810. See <i>Williamsburg</i> . |
| Cummington, . | . | June 23, 1779, | Easterly Part of "No. 5, W." See <i>Plainfield</i> . |
| Easthampton, . | . | June 17, 1785, | Indian name, Pasacomuck. Parts of South and North Hampton. Incorporated as a District, June 17, 1785, and as a Town, June 16, 1809. Boundary line between Easthampton and Southampton established, February 1, 1828. Changed, February 21, 1862. Parts of Southampton annexed to Easthampton, March 13, 1841, and April 4, 1850. Boundary line between Easthampton and Northampton established, March 26, 1855. See <i>Southampton</i> and <i>Westhampton</i> . |
| Enfield, . | . | Feb. 16, 1816, | Parts of Greenwich and Belchertown. |
| Goshen, . | . | May 14, 1781, | Chesterfield Gore and northerly part of Chesterfield. See <i>Chesterfield</i> . |
| Granby, . | . | June 11, 1768, | Second Parish of South Hadley. Part of South Hadley annexed to Granby, March 6, 1792. Boundary line between Granby and South Hadley changed, June 12, 1824, June 20, 1826, and June 16, 1827. |
| Greenwich, . | . | Apr. 20, 1754, | Indian name, Quabin. See <i>Dana, Enfield and Petersham</i> . |
| Hadley, . | . | May 20, 1661, | Indian name, Norwotock. Boundary line between Hadley and Amherst changed, March 1, 1815. See <i>South Hadley, Amherst and Northampton</i> . |
| Hatfield, . | . | May 11, 1670, | Boundary line between Hatfield and Williamsburg established March 14, 1845, and March 19, 1847. See <i>Whately and Williamsburg</i> . |
| Huntington, . | . | June 29, 1773, | See <i>Norwich</i> . |

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Norwich, . . . | June 20, 1773, | Easterly part of Murrayfield. Parts of Chester and Blandford annexed to Norwich, April 28, 1853. Name changed to Huntington, March 9, 1855. See <i>Chesterfield</i> and <i>Montgomery</i> . |
| Middlefield, . . . | Mar. 12, 1783, | From parts of Worthington, Chester, Becket, Patridgefield, Washington and all of Prescott's Grant. |
| Northampton, . . . | Oct. 18, 1654, | Indian names, Nanotuck, Nonotuck or Norwottock. Hockanum Meadows set off from Hadley and annexed to Northampton, April 15, 1850. See <i>Easthampton</i> , <i>Southampton</i> and <i>Westhampton</i> . |
| Pelham, . . . | Jan. 15, 1742, | New Lisburne. See <i>Prescott</i> . |
| Plainfield, . . . | Mar. 16, 1785, | Incorporated as a District, March 16, 1785, and a Town, June 15, 1807. |
| Prescott, . . . | Jan. 28, 1822, | East Parish of Pelham and south part of New Salem. |
| South Hadley, . . . | Apr. 12, 1753, | Second Precinct of Hadley. See <i>Granby</i> . |
| Southampton, . . . | Jan. 5, 1753, | South Hampton. Second Precinct of Northampton. Part of Easthampton annexed to Southampton, March 13, 1841. See <i>Easthampton</i> , <i>Montgomery</i> and <i>Westhampton</i> . |
| Ware, . . . | Nov. 25, 1761, | Ware River Parish. Parts of Brookfield and Western annexed to Ware, February 8, 1823. |
| Westhampton, . . . | Sept. 29, 1778, | West part of Northampton. Boundary line between Northampton, Westhampton, Easthampton and Southampton changed, March 12, 1872. |

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| Williamsburg, . . . | Apr. 24, 1771, | West part of Hatfield. Boundary line between Williamsburg and Chesterfield established, June 24, 1795. See <i>Chesterfield, Hatfield and Whately</i> . |
| Worthington, . . . | June 30, 1768, | "No. 3, W." Part of Chester annexed to Worthington, June 21, 1799. [See <i>Middlefield</i> .] |

MIDDLESEX COUNTY, INCORPORATED MAY 10, 1643. See *Norfolk County*.

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| Acton, . . . | July 3, 1735, | Part of Concord, See <i>Carlisle</i> . |
| Arlington, . . . | Feb. 27, 1807, | See <i>West Cambridge</i> . |
| Ashby, . . . | Mar. 5, 1767, | From parts of Townsend, Fitchburg and Ashburnham. Part of Ashburnham annexed to Ashby, November 16, 1792, and part to Fitchburg, March 3, 1829. |
| Ashland, . . . | Mar. 16, 1746, | From parts of Hopkinton, Framingham and Holliston. See <i>Hopkinton</i> . |
| Ayer, . . . | Feb. 14, 1871, | Parts of Groton and Shirley. |
| Bedford, . . . | Sept. 23, 1729, | From parts of Billerica and Concord. |
| Belmont, . . . | Mar. 18, 1859, | From parts of West Cambridge, Watertown and Waltham. Boundaries [defined, 1862. |
| Billerica, . . . | May 29, 1655, | Indian name, Shawshin. See <i>Bedford and Carlisle</i> . |
| Boxborough, . . . | Feb. 25, 1783, | From parts of Stow, Harvard and Littleton. Incorporated as a District, February 25, 1783, and as a Town, May 1, 1836. See <i>Littleton</i> . |
| Brighton, . . . | Feb. 24, 1807, | Southerly parish of Cambridge; "Little Cambridge." Part of Cambridge annexed to Brighton, January 27, 1816. Annexed to Boston by Act of May 21, 1873, and by vote of City and Town. |

MIDDLESEX COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Burlington, . . . | Feb. 28, 1799, | Part of Woburn. See <i>Lexington</i> . |
| Cambridge, . . . | Sept. 8, 1633, | |
| | | "New-town." Parts of Charlestown annexed to Cambridge, March 6, 1802, February 12, 1818, and June 17, 1820, Incorporated as a City, March 17, 1846. Act accepted, March 30, 1846. Part of Watertown annexed to Cambridge, April 27, 1855. Boundary line between Somerville and Cambridge changed, April 30, 1856, and April 29, 1862. See <i>Belmont, Brighton, Lexington and West Cambridge</i> . |
| Carlisle, . . . | Apr. 28, 1780, | Parts of Concord, Acton, Chelmsford and Billerica, incorporated as the District of Carlisle, April 28, 1780; and as a Town, February 18, 1805. See <i>Chelmsford</i> . |
| Charlestown, . . . | June 24, 1629, | Indian name, Mishawum. Part of Medford annexed to Charlestown, June 21, 1811. Incorporated as a City, February 22, 1847. Act accepted, March 10, 1847. See <i>Cambridge, West Cambridge, Stoneham, Woburn and Somerville</i> . Annexed to Boston by Act of May 14, 1873, and by votes of the two Cities. |
| Chelmsford, . . . | May 29, 1655, | Part of Chelmsford annexed, February 17, 1865. Part of annexed to Lowell, May 18, 1874. See <i>Lowell, Carlisle and Westford</i> . |
| Concord, . . . | Sept. 2, 1635, | Indian name, Musquetequid. See <i>Acton, Bedford, Lincoln and Carlisle</i> . |
| Draught, . . . | Feb. 26, 1701, | Part of annexed to Lowell, May 18, 1874. See <i>Lowell</i> . |
| Dunstable, . . . | Oct. 15, 1673, | Boundary line between Dunstable and Tyngsborough established January 29, 1798. Parts of Groton annexed to Dunstable, February 25, 1793, January 26, 1796, and June 10, 1803. See <i>Groton and Tyngsborough</i> . |

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| Everett, . . . | Mar. 9, 1870, | Southerly part of Malden. |
| Framingham, . . . | June 25, 1700, | Part of Holliston annexed to Framingham, February 11, 1833. Part of Natick annexed, 1871. See <i>Ashland, Holliston, Hopkinton, and Marlborough.</i> |
| Groton, . . . | May 29, 1655, | Indian name, Petapawag. Part of Pepperell annexed to Groton, February 3, 1803. Boundary line between Groton and Dunstable established, Feb'y 15, 1820. See <i>Pepperell, Dunstable, Harvard, Shirley and Ayer.</i> |
| Holliston, . . . | Dec. 3, 1724, | Part of Sherburne. Boundary line between Holliston and Medway changed, March 3, 1829; and established between Holliston, Hopkinton and Medway, March 27, 1835. See <i>Ashland, Framingham and Milford.</i> |
| Hopkinton, . . . | Dec. 13, 1715, | Indian name, Moguncoy. See <i>Ashland, Holliston and Upton.</i> [20, 1868. |
| Hudson, . . . | Mar. 19, 1866, | From parts of Marlborough and Stow. Part of Bolton annexed, March 10, 1810. See <i>Lincoln.</i> |
| Lexington, . . . | Mar. 29, 1712, | Part of Cambridge. Part of Burlington annexed to Lexington, January 10, 1810. See <i>Lincoln.</i> |
| Lincoln, . . . | Apr. 19, 1754, | From parts of Concord, Lexington and Weston. |
| Littleton, . . . | Dec. 3, 1715, | Indian name, Nashoba. Boundary line between Littleton and Boxborough established February 20, 1794. See <i>Boxborough.</i> |
| Lowell, . . . | Mar. 1, 1826, | Part of Chelmsford. Incorporated as a Town, March 1, 1826, and as a City, April 5, 1836. Act accepted, April 11, 1836. Parts of Tewksbury annexed to Lowell, March 22, 1832, and March 29, 1834; and part of Dracut (Centralville), February 28, 1851. |
| Malden, . . . | May 2, 1649, | See <i>Medford, Melrose and Everett.</i> |

MIDDLESEX COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Marlborough, . . . | May 31, 1660, | Indian names, Okonmakamesitt, Whipsnuffrage. Part of Framingham annexed to Marlborough, February 23, 1791; and part of Southborough, March 24, 1843. See <i>Bolton, Northborough, Southborough and Hudson</i> . |
| Maynard, . . . | Apr. 19, 1871, | Parts of Stow and Sudbury. |
| Medford, . . . | Sept. 28, 1630, | Indian name, Mistick or Mystic. Declared "a peculiar town," October 15, 1684. Part of Malden annexed to Medford, June 10, 1817. See <i>Charlestown and Winchester</i> . |
| Melrose, . . . | May 3, 1850, | Part of Malden. |
| Natick, . . . | —, 1762, | The Society and Parish of Natick. Incorporated as a District in 1762, and as a Town, February 19, 1781. Part of Sherburne annexed to Natick, February 7, 1820. Boundary line between Natick and Wayland established, April 26, 1850. Part of annexed to Framingham, 1871. See <i>Needham</i> . |
| Newton, . . . | Dec. 15, 1791, | New Cambridge. An island between Needham and Newton, annexed to Newton, June 21, 1803. Part of Waltham annexed to Newton, April 16, 1849. See <i>Korbarry</i> . Incorporated as a City by Act of June 2, 1873, and Act accepted by the people. |
| North Reading, . . | Mar. 22, 1853, | Northern part of Reading. Boundary line between Lynnfield and North Reading changed, May 27, 1857. |
| Pepperell, . . . | Apr. 6, 1753, | Incorporated as a District from Second Precinct of Groton. Part of Pepperell annexed to Groton, February 3, 1803. See <i>Groton</i> . |

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| Reading, . . . | May 29, 1644, | Lynn Village. See <i>Lynnfield</i> , <i>Wilmington</i> and <i>South Reading</i> . |
| Sherborn, . . . | May 27, 1674, | Bogastown. Name changed from Sherburne to Sherborn, May 3, 1852. See <i>Holliston</i> , <i>Natick</i> and <i>Medway</i> . |
| Shirley, . . . | Jan. 5, 1753, | South-west part of Groton. Part of Groton annexed to Shirley, February 6, 1798. See <i>Lunenburg</i> and <i>Ayer</i> . [accepted by the voters. See <i>Cambridge</i> .] |
| Somerville, . . . | Mar. 3, 1842, | Part of Charlestown. Incorporated as a City by Act of April 14, 1871; |
| <i>South Reading</i> , . . . | Feb. 25, 1812, | South Parish of Reading. Part of Stoncham annexed to South Reading, April 5, 1856. Name changed to Wakefield, June 30, 1868. |
| Stoncham, . . . | Dec. 17, 1725, | Part of Charlestown. See <i>South Reading</i> . |
| Stow, . . . | May 16, 1683, | Indian name, Pomposetticut. See <i>Bosborough</i> , <i>Harvard</i> and <i>Maynard</i> . |
| Sudbury, . . . | Sept. 4, 1639, | See <i>Maynard</i> . |
| Tewksbury, . . . | Dec. 23, 1734, | Indian name, Wamesit. Northerly part of Billerica. Part of annexed to [Lowell, June 5, 1874. See <i>Lowell</i> .] |
| Townsend, . . . | June 29, 1732, | Townshend. North part of Turkey Hill. See <i>Ashby</i> . |
| Tyngsborough, . . . | June 22, 1789, | South and easterly parts of Dunstable. Incorporated as a District, June 22, 1789; and as a Town, February 23, 1809. Part of Dunstable annexed to Tyngsborough, March 3, 1792. Boundary line between Tyngsborough and Dunstable established June 10, 1814. See <i>Dunstable</i> . |
| Wakefield, . . . | Feb. 25, 1812, | See <i>South Reading</i> and <i>Lynnfield</i> . |
| Waltham, . . . | Jan. 4, 1737, | Westerly Precinct of Watertown. See <i>Belmont</i> and <i>Newton</i> . |
| Watertown, . . . | Sept. 7, 1630, | Indian name, Piggusset. See <i>Belmont</i> , <i>Weston</i> and <i>Cambridge</i> . |

MIDDLESEX COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Wayland, . . . | Apr. 10, 1780, | See <i>East Sudbury</i> and <i>Natick</i> . |
| <i>East Sudbury</i> , . . . | Apr. 10, 1780, | East part of Sudbury. Name changed to Wayland, March 11, 1835. |
| <i>West Cambridge</i> , . . . | Feb. 27, 1807, | Westerly Parish of Cambridge. Part of Charlestown annexed to West Cambridge, February 25, 1842. Name changed to Arlington, April 30, 1867. See <i>Winchester</i> , <i>Belmont</i> and <i>Cambridge</i> . |
| Westford, . . . | Sept. 23, 1729, | Westerly Precinct of Chelmsford. |
| Weston, . . . | Jan. 1, 1712, | Part of Watertown. See <i>Lincoln</i> . |
| Wilmington, . . . | Sept. 25, 1730, | From parts of Woburn and Reading. |
| Winchester, . . . | Apr. 30, 1850, | From parts of Woburn, Medford and West Cambridge. Part of annexed to Woburn, by Act of May 12, 1873. |
| Woburn, . . . | May 18, 1642, | Charlestown Village. See <i>Burlington</i> , <i>Wilmington</i> and <i>Winchester</i> . |

NANTUCKET COUNTY, INCORPORATED JUNE 20, 1695.

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| Nantucket, . . . | June 27, 1687, | See <i>Sherburn</i> . |
| <i>Sherburn</i> , . . . | June 27, 1687, | Name changed to Nantucket, June 8, 1795. |

NORFOLK COUNTY, INCORPORATED MARCH 26, 1793.

Norfolk County, as incorporated, included all the original territory of Suffolk, except the towns of Boston and Chelsea. [May 10, 1643, the Colony was divided into four Counties, viz.: Essex, Middlesex, Suffolk and Norfolk. The latter was composed of the towns of Haverhill, Salisbury, Hampton, Exeter, Dover and Strawberry Bank (Portsmouth). The four last named towns having been "taken off" upon the separation of New Hampshire from Massachusetts, in 1680, the others were set back to Essex, February 4, 1680, and the original County of Norfolk ceased to exist.]

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| Bellingham, | Nov. 27, 1719, | From parts of Dedham, Wrentham and Mendon. Boundary line between Bellingham, Franklin and Medway established, February 23, 1832. |
| Braintree, | May 13, 1640, | Mount Wollaston, Merry Mount, Mount Dagan. See <i>Quincy and Randolph</i> . |
| Brookline, | Nov. 13, 1705, | Muddy River. Brooklyn. Part of Roxbury annexed to Brookline, February 24, 1844. Part of annexed to Boston, 1870. Part of annexed to Boston, May 8, 1874. See <i>Boston</i> . |
| Canton, | Feb. 23, 1797, | Northerly part of Stoughton. See <i>Stoughton</i> . |
| Cohasset, | Apr. 26, 1770, | Indian name, Conahasset. Second Precinct of Hingham. |
| Dedham, | Sept. 8, 1636, | Boundary line between Dedham and Dover defined March 7, 1791. See <i>Bellingham, Dover, Dorchester, Needham, Medfield, Walpole, West Roxbury, Hyde Park and Norwood</i> . |
| Dorchester, | Sept. 7, 1630, | Indian name, Mattapan. Boundary line between Dorchester and Quincy changed July 10, 1814, and established February 21, 1820. Part of Dedham annexed to Dorchester, June 17, 1831. Annexed to Boston by Act of June 4, 1869, and vote of the people of the city and town. See <i>Boston, Quincy, Stoughton and Hyde Park</i> . |

NORFOLK COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Dover, | July 7, 1784, | Part of Dedham. Incorporated as a District, July 7, 1784; and as a Town March 31, 1836. Boundary line between Dover and Dedham defined, March 7, 1791. Line between Dover and Walpole changed, February 27, 1872. |
| Foxborough, . . | June 10, 1778, | From parts of Wrentham, Walpole, Stoughton and Stoughtonham (Sharon). Parts of Stoughton and Sharon annexed to Foxborough, March 12, 1796; part of Wrentham, February 7, 1831; and part of Sharon, February 28, 1850. See <i>Sharon, Walpole, Wrentham and Everett</i> . |
| Franklin, . . . | Mar. 2, 1778, | Westerly part of Wrentham. Part of Medway annexed to Franklin, June 27, 1792. Boundary line between Franklin and Medway established November 3, 1792, and February 23, 1832. See <i>Bellingham and Norfolk</i> . |
| Holbrook, . . . | Feb. 23, 1872, | Part of Randolph. |
| Hyde Park, . . . | Apr. 22, 1868, | From parts of Dorchester, Dedham and Milton. |
| Medfield, . . . | May 23, 1651, | Dedham Village. See <i>Medway</i> . |
| Medway, . . . | Oct. 24, 1713, | Part of Medfield. Boundary line between Medway and Sherborn established, March 3, 1792. See <i>Bellingham, Franklin, Holliston and Norfolk</i> . |
| Milton, | May 7, 1662, | Indian name, Uncataguisset, or Unquety. See <i>Hyde Park</i> . |
| Needham, . . . | Nov. 5, 1711, | Part of Dedham. Boundary line between Needham and Natick changed, June 22, 1797. See <i>Newton</i> . |

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| Norfolk, | . | . | Feb. | 23, 1870, | From parts of Wrentham, Franklin, Medway and Walpole. Boundary line between it and Wrentham changed in 1871. |
| Norwood, | . | . | Feb. | 23, 1872, | From parts of Dedham and Walpole. |
| Quincy, . | . | . | Feb. | 23, 1792, | North Precinct of Braintree. Parts of Dorchester annexed to Quincy, February 12, 1819, and May 2, 1855, and a part of Braintree, April 24, 1856. See <i>Dorchester</i> . |
| Randolph, | . | . | Mar. | 9, 1793, | Part of Braintree. Portion of boundary line defined June 22, 1811. Part set off into a new Town, February 29, 1872. See <i>Hollbrook</i> . |
| Roxbury, | . | . | Sept. | 28, 1630, | Part of Newton annexed to Roxbury, April 23, 1838. Incorporated as a City, March 12, 1846. Act accepted, March 25, 1846. Boundary line between Boston and Roxbury established May 3, 1850, and changed April 3, 1860. Annexed to Boston by Act of June 1, 1867, and vote of the people of the two Cities on the second Monday of September following. See <i>Boston</i> and <i>West Roxbury</i> . |
| Sharon, . | . | . | June | 20, 1765, | Indian name, Mashapoag. Stoughtonham. Second Precinct in Stoughton. Part of Stoughton annexed to Sharon, February 12, 1792; also, March 26, 1864. Boundary line between Sharon and Foxborough established January 30, 1833. Part of annexed to Walpole, May 1, 1874. See <i>Foxborough</i> and <i>Walpole</i> . |
| Stoughton, | . | . | Dec. | 22, 1726, | Indian name, Punkapoag. Part of Dorchester. Part of Canton annexed to Stoughton, March 31, 1847. See <i>Canton</i> , <i>Foxborough</i> and <i>Sharon</i> . |
| Walpole, | . | . | Dec. | 10, 1724, | Part of Dedham. Parts of Sharon annexed to Walpole, February 28, 1804, and June 21, 1811; part of Dedham, June 21, 1811; and parts of Foxborough, March 27, 1833, and March 28, 1834. Line between Dover and Walpole changed February 27, 1872. See <i>Foxborough</i> , <i>Norfolk</i> and <i>Norwood</i> . |
| West Roxbury, | . | . | May | 24, 1851, | Part of Roxbury. Part of Dedham annexed to West Roxbury, April 21, 1852. Boundary line between it and Boston changed, 1870. Annexed to Boston by Act of May 29, 1873, and by votes of City and Town. |

NORFOLK COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Weymouth, . . . | Sept. 2, 1635, | Indian name, Wessagusset, or Wessaguson. Boundary line between Weymouth and Abington established, March 31, 1847. |
| Wrentham, . . . | Oct. 15, 1673, | Indian name, Wallonopaug. Boundary line between Wrentham and Foxborough, established, February 3, 1819. Boundary line between it and Norfolk changed in 1871. See <i>Attleborough, Bellingham, Foxborough, Franklin and Norfolk.</i> |

PLYMOUTH COUNTY, INCORPORATED JUNE 2, 1685.

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| Abington, . . . | June 10, 1712, | Indian name, Maramooskeagh. Easterly part of Bridgewater. See <i>Weymouth and Rockland.</i> |
| Bridgewater, . . | June 3, 1656, | Indian name, Nunketset. Duxboro' Plantation. Boundary line between Bridgewater and East Bridgewater established February 23, 1838, and March 20, 1846. See <i>East Bridgewater, Halifax, North Bridgewater and West Bridgewater.</i> |
| Brockton, . . . | Mar. 28, 1874, | Name changed from North Bridgewater to Brockton. |
| Carver, . . . | June 9, 1790, | South part of Plympton. Boundary line between Middleborough and Carver established, March 24, 1849. See <i>Plympton.</i> |
| Duxbury, . . . | June 7, 1637, | Indian name, Mattakeeset. Duxboro'. Boundary line between Duxbury and Marshfield established, June 14, 1813. See <i>Kingston and Pembroke.</i> |
| East Bridgewater, . | June 14, 1823, | Part of Bridgewater. Part of Halifax annexed to East Bridgewater, April 11, 1857. See <i>Bridgewater.</i> |
| Hanson, . . . | Feb. 22, 1820, | Westerly part of Pembroke. |

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| Halifax, . . . | July 4, 1734, | Indian name, Monoponset. From parts of Plympton, Middleborough and Pembroke. Part of Bridgewater annexed to Halifax, February 20, 1824, and part of Plympton, March 16, 1830. Boundary line between it and Plympton established, February 6, 1863. See <i>East Bridgewater</i> . |
| Hanover, . . . | June 14, 1727, | Boundary line between Hanover and South Scituate determined May 15, 1857, under resolves of May 31, 1856. |
| Hingham, . . . | Sept. 2, 1635, | Barecove. Hingham and Hull taken from Suffolk County, June 18, 1803. See <i>Cohasset</i> . |
| Hull, . . . | May 29, 1644, | Nantasket. See <i>Hingham</i> . |
| Kingston, . . . | June 16, 1726, | Part of Plymouth. Part of Duxbury annexed to Kingston, April 14, 1857. |
| Lakeville, . . . | May 13, 1853, | South-westerly part of Middleborough. Boundary line between it and [Tamnton defined, 1867. |
| Marion, . . . | May 14, 1852, | South-easterly part of Rochester. Boundary line between Marion and Wareham established February 18, 1859, and February 13, 1866. |
| Marshfield, . . . | Mar. 2, 1640, | Green Harbor. Rexham. See <i>Duxbury</i> . |
| Mattapoisett, . . . | May 20, 1857, | Mattapoisett Precinct;—a part of Rochester. |
| Middleborough, . . . | June -, 1669, | Indian names, Assawampsett, or Assawomit and Nennasket. [and <i>Lakeville</i> . See <i>Carver</i> |
| <i>North Bridgewater</i> , . . . | June 15, 1821, | Part of Bridgewater. Boundary line between North and West Bridge-water established, January 22, 1825. In 1871 the name of the Town was changed to Standish, subject to the approval of the voters. The Act was not approved. Name changed to Brockton, March 28, 1874. |
| Plymouth, . . . | Dec. 11, 1620, | Indian names, Accomack, Apaum, or Umpame, and Patuxet. See <i>Kingston</i> , <i>Wareham</i> and <i>Plympton</i> . |

PLYMOUTH COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Pembroke, . . . | Mar. 21, 1711, | Westerly part of Duxbury, or Mattakeeset. See <i>Hanson</i> . |
| Plympton, . . . | June 4, 1707, | Indian name, Wenatukset. South-westerly part of Plymouth. Boundary line between Plympton and Carver established, February 8, 1793. See <i>Carver</i> and <i>Ilalifar</i> . |
| Rochester, . . . | June 4, 1686, | Indian name, Seipican, or Sippican. Boundary line between Rochester and Fairhaven established, April 9, 1836. See <i>Marion</i> and <i>Mattapoisset</i> . |
| Rockland, . . . | Mar. 9, 1874, | North and East part of Abington. |
| Scituate, . . . | Oct. 5, 1636, | Indian name, Satuit, from Satuit Brook in the eastern part of the town. See <i>Cohasset</i> and <i>South Scituate</i> . |
| South Scituate, . . . | Feb. 14, 1849, | Part of Scituate. See <i>Hanover</i> . |
| Wareham, . . . | July 10, 1739, | Plantation of Agawam, or Agowaywam. Part of Plymouth annexed to Wareham, January 20, 1827. Boundary line between it and Rochester defined, 1864 and 1866. See <i>Marion</i> . |
| West Bridgewater, . | Feb. 16, 1822, | Part of Bridgewater. See <i>North Bridgewater</i> . |

SUFFOLK COUNTY, INCORPORATED MAY 10, 1643. See *Norfolk County*.

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| Chelsea, . . . | Jan. 10, 1738, | Indian name, Winnisimmet. Rumney Marsh. See <i>Saugus</i> and <i>North Chelsea</i> . |
| North Chelsea, . . | Mar. 19, 1848, | Part of Chelsea. See <i>Winthrop</i> . Name changed to Revere by Act of March 24, 1871, approved by the Town. |

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| Boston, | Sept. 7, 1630, | Indian name, Shawmut. Tri-Mountain. Noddle's Island (East Boston), granted to Samuel Maverick, April 1, 1623, and annexed to Boston, March 9, 1636-7. Long, Spectacle, Deer and Hog Islands granted to Boston, March 4, 1634. Dorchester Point (South Boston) annexed to Boston, March 6, 1804. Boston incorporated as a City, February 23, 1822. Act accepted, March 4, 1822. Boundary line between Boston and Brookline established, and part of Brookline annexed to Boston, February 22, 1825; annexed portion joined to Ward 6, March 3, 1826; Thompson's Island granted to Dorchester, March 4, 1634, and annexed to Boston from Dorchester, March 25, 1834. Boundary line between Boston and Roxbury established March 16, 1836; changed April 19, 1837; established May 3, 1850; and changed, April 3, 1860. Part of Dorchester, known as Washington Village, annexed to Boston, May 21, 1859. Dorchester annexed, 1869. Part of Brookline annexed, 1870. Boundary line between Brookline and Boston changed, April 27, 1872. See <i>Roxbury, Dorchester and West Roxbury</i> . Brighton, West Roxbury, and Charlestown annexed by chapters 303, 314 and 286 of the acts of 1873. See <i>North Chelsea</i> . |
| Revere, | Mar. 19, 1848, | See <i>North Chelsea</i> . |
| Winthrop, | Mar. 27, 1852, | Easterly part of North Chelsea. |

WORCESTER COUNTY, INCORPORATED APRIL 2, 1731.

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| Ashburnham, | Feb. 22, 1765, | Dorchester Canada. Part of Gardner annexed to Ashburnham, February 16, 1815; and part of Westminster, January 28, 1824. See <i>Ashby and Gardner</i> . |
| Athol, | Mar. 6, 1762, | Indian name, Paynauage, or Poquaig. Part of Gerry annexed to Athol, February 26, 1806; part of Orange, February 7, 1816; and parts of New Salem, February 5, 1830, and March 16, 1837. Land confirmed to Athol, June 11, 1829. See <i>Royalston, Gerry and Boylston</i> . |
| Auburn, | Apr. 10, 1778, | See <i>Ward</i> . |

WORCESTER COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Ward, | Apr. 10, 1778, | From parts of Worcester, Sutton, Oxford and Leicester. Name changed to Auburn, February 17, 1837. |
| Barre, | Mar. 28, 1753, | North-westerly part of Rutland incorporated as Rutland District, March 28, 1753. Rutland District incorporated as the Town of Hutchinson, June 7, 1774. Name changed to Barre, November 7, 1776. |
| Hutchinson, | June 7, 1774, | See <i>Barre</i> . |
| Berlin, | Mar. 16, 1784, | South Parish of Bolton incorporated as District of Berlin, March 16, 1784; and as a Town, February 6, 1812. Part of Lancaster annexed to Berlin, February 8, 1791; and part of Northborough, February 14, 1806. |
| Blackstone, | Mar. 25, 1845, | Part of Mendon. |
| Bolton, | June 24, 1738, | Part of Lancaster. Part of Marlborough annexed to Bolton, February 11, 1829. Boundary line between Bolton and Westborough established, March 16, 1838. See <i>Berlin</i> ; also <i>Hudson</i> , in Middlesex County. |
| Boylston, | Mar. 1, 1786, | North Parish of Shrewsbury. See <i>West Boylston</i> . |
| Brookfield, | Nov. 12, 1718, | Indian name, Quaboag, Quobog, or Quobage. Boundary line between Brookfield and New Braintree established, June 10, 1791, and March 8, 1792. Part of North Brookfield annexed to Brookfield, April 15, 1854. See <i>North Brookfield</i> and <i>Ware</i> . |
| Charlton, | Nov. 2, 1754, | West part of Oxford. See <i>Oxford</i> , <i>Southbridge</i> and <i>Sturbridge</i> . |

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| Clinton, | . | . | . | Mar. 14, 1859, | Part of Lancaster. |
| Dana, | . | . | . | Feb. 18, 1801, | From parts of Petersham, Hardwick and Greenwich. Boundary line established, February 12, 1803. Boundary line between Dana and Greenwich established, June 19, 1811. Parts of Petersham and Hardwick annexed to Dana, February 4, 1842. |
| Douglas, | . | . | . | 1746, | Incorporated as a District. (See note on page 103.) Boundary line between it and Uxbridge established, April 25, 1864. See <i>Webster</i> . |
| Dudley, | . | . | . | Feb. 2, 1731, | Indian name, Chabanakongnum. From lands between Woodstock and Oxford. Middlesex Gore annexed to Dudley and Sturbridge, June 25, 1794. See <i>Southbridge</i> and <i>Webster</i> . |
| Fitchburg, | . | . | . | Feb. 3, 1764, | West part of Lanesburg. See <i>Ashby</i> and <i>Westminster</i> . Incorporated as a City by Act of March 8, 1872, accepted by the people. |
| Gardner, | . | . | . | June 27, 1785, | From parts of Westminster, Ashburnham, Winchendon and Templeton. See <i>Ashburnham</i> , <i>Ashby</i> and <i>Westminster</i> . |
| Grafton, | . | . | . | Apr. 18, 1735, | Indian name, Hassanamisco. Gore of land annexed to Grafton, June 14, 1823; part of Shrewsbury annexed, March 3, 1826; and part of Sutton, March 3, 1842. See <i>Worcester</i> . |
| Hardwick, | . | . | . | Jan. 10, 1738, | Lambstown. Part of New Braintree annexed to Hardwick, June 10, 1814; and Gore of land, February 7, 1831, and February 6, 1833. See <i>Dana</i> and <i>Petersham</i> . |
| Harvard, | . | . | . | June 29, 1732, | From parts of Lancaster, Grafton and Stow. See <i>Berborough</i> . |
| Holden, | . | . | . | Jan. 9, 1740, | North part of Worcester. Boundary line between Holden and Paxton established March 27, 1793. Part of Paxton annexed to Holden, March 19, 1831. See <i>Paxton</i> and <i>West Boylston</i> . |
| Hubbardston, | . | . | . | June 13, 1767, | North-easterly part of Rutland. See <i>Princeton</i> . |

WORCESTER COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Lancaster, . . . | May 18, 1653, | Indian name, Nashwash or Nashawog. Boundary line between Lancaster and Sterling established, March 7, 1837. See <i>Berlin</i> , <i>Holden</i> and <i>Sterling</i> . |
| Leicester, . . . | Feb. 15, 1713, | Indian name, Towtaid. See <i>Ward</i> , <i>Spencer</i> and <i>Parson</i> . |
| Leominster, . . . | June 23, 1740, | Part of Lancaster. Part of No-town annexed to Leominster, April 13, 1838. |
| Lunenburg, . . . | Aug. 1, 1728, | South part of Turkey Hills. Boundary line between Lunenburg and Shirley established, March 3, 1846. See <i>Fitchburg</i> and <i>Townsend</i> . |
| Mendon, . . . | May 15, 1667, | Indian name, Qunshapange, or Squunshopog. See <i>Bellingham</i> , <i>Blackstone</i> and <i>Milford</i> . |
| Milford, . . . | Apr. 11, 1780, | Indian name, Wopowage. East Precinct of Mendon. Part of Holliston annexed to Milford, April 1, 1859. |
| Millbury, . . . | June 11, 1813, | North Parish in Sutton. |
| New Braintree, . . . | Jan. 31, 1751, | Indian name, Weinimesset. See <i>Brookfield</i> and <i>Hardwick</i> . |
| Northborough, . . . | Jan. 24, 1766, | North Precinct of Westboro'. Part of Middleborough annexed to Northborough, June 20, 1807. See <i>Berlin</i> . |
| Northbridge, . . . | July 14, 1772, | North part of Uxbridge. Part of Sutton annexed to Northbridge, February 17, 1801, and March 16, 1844. See <i>Sutton</i> and <i>Uxbridge</i> . |

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| North Brookfield, . . . | Feb. 28, 1812, | North Parish in Brookfield. See <i>Brookfield</i> . |
| Oakham, . . . | June 11, 1762, | West wing of Rutland. Incorporated as District of Oakham, June 11, 1762. |
| Oxford, . . . | —, 1713, | Part of Sutton annexed to Oxford, February 18, 1793; Oxford South Gore annexed, February 6, 1807; part of Charlton, February 3, 1809; and Oxford North Gore, March 22, 1838. See <i>Charlton</i> , <i>Ward</i> and <i>Webster</i> . |
| Paxton, . . . | Feb. 12, 1765, | South part of Rutland and north part of Leicester incorporated as District of Paxton, February 12, 1775. Parts of Holden annexed to Paxton, February 13, 1804, and April 9, 1838; and part of Rutland, May 24, 1851. See <i>Holden</i> and <i>Rutland</i> . |
| Petersham, . . . | Apr. 20, 1754, | Indian name, Nitchawog. See <i>Dana</i> . |
| Phillipston, . . . | Oct. 20, 1786, | See <i>Gerry</i> . Boundary line between Phillipston and Royalston changed March 29, 1837. See <i>Royalston</i> . |
| <i>Gerry</i> , . . . | Oct. 20, 1786, | From parts of Templeton and Athol. Name changed to Phillipston, February 5, 1814. See <i>Athol</i> and <i>Royalston</i> . |
| Princeton, . . . | Apr. 24, 1771, | Indian name, Wachusett. East wing of Rutland. Part of Hubbardston annexed to Princeton, February 16, 1810; and part of No-town, April 4, 1838. See <i>Westminster</i> . |
| Royalston, . . . | Feb. 17, 1765, | Royalshire. Parts of Athol and Gerry annexed to Royalston, February 26, 1799, and part of Athol, March 7, 1803. See <i>Phillipston</i> . |
| Rutland, . . . | Feb. 23, 1713, | Indian name, Nagueag. Boundary line between Rutland and Paxton established February 20, 1829. See <i>Barre</i> , <i>Hubbardston</i> , <i>Oakham</i> and <i>Paxton</i> . |

WORCESTER COUNTY—Continued.

| CITIES AND TOWNS. | Date of Incorporation. | Original Name, Change of Name, Boundary, &c. |
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| Shrewsbury, . . . | Dec. 19, 1727, | See <i>Boylston</i> and <i>Grafton</i> . |
| Southborough, . . . | July 6, 1727, | Part of Marlborough. Boundary line between Southborough and Westborough established, March 5, 1835. See <i>Marlborough</i> . |
| Southbridge, . . . | Feb. 15, 1816, | From parts of Sturbridge, Charlton and Dudley. Part of Dudley annexed to Southbridge, February 23, 1822, and part of Sturbridge, April 6, 1839. Boundary line between it and Sturbridge changed in 1871. |
| Spencer, . . . | Apr. 3, 1753, | Second Precinct of Leicester. |
| Sterling, . . . | Apr. 25, 1781, | Second Precinct of Lancaster. See <i>Lancaster</i> and <i>West Boylston</i> . |
| Sturbridge, . . . | June 24, 1738, | New Medfield. Part of Charlton annexed to Sturbridge, June 27, 1792. See <i>Dudley</i> and <i>Southbridge</i> . Boundary line between it and Southbridge changed in 1871. |
| Sutton, . . . | June 21, 1715, | Nipmug Country. Part of Northbridge annexed to Sutton, June 15, 1831. Boundary line between Sutton and Northbridge changed March 7, 1837. See <i>Ward</i> , <i>Grafton</i> , <i>Millbury</i> , <i>Northbridge</i> and <i>Oxford</i> . |
| Templeton, . . . | Mar. 6, 1762, | Narragansett, No. 6. See <i>Gerry</i> and <i>Gardner</i> . |
| Upton, . . . | June 14, 1735, | From parts of Mendon, Sutton, Uxbridge and Hopkinton. |
| Uxbridge, . . . | June 27, 1727, | Indian name, Wacantug. Part of Mendon. Boundary line between Uxbridge and Northbridge changed April 30, 1856. See <i>Douglas</i> . |

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| Warren, . . . | Jan. 16, 1741, | See <i>Western</i> . |
| <i>Western</i> , . . . | Jan. 16, 1741, | From parts of Brookfield, Brimfield and easterly part of Kingsfield. Name changed to Warren, March 13, 1834. See <i>Palmer</i> and <i>Ware</i> . |
| Webster, . . . | Mar. 6, 1832, | From parts of Dudley and Oxford. Boundary line between Webster and Douglas established, February 27, 1841. |
| Westborough, . . . | Nov. 18, 1717, | Chauncy. See <i>Bolton</i> and <i>Southborough</i> . |
| West Boylston, . . . | Jan. 30, 1808, | From parts of Boylston, Holden and Sterling. Part of Boylston annexed to West Boylston, February 10, 1820, and June 17, 1820. See <i>Bolton</i> . |
| West Brookfield, . . . | Mar. 3, 1848, | Part of Brookfield. |
| Westminster, . . . | Apr. 26, 1770, | Narragansett, No. 2. Parts of Fitchburg annexed to Westminster, February 12, 1796, and February 16, 1813; and part of No-town, April 10, 1838. Part of annexed to Princeton, April 22, 1870. See <i>Ashburnham</i> and <i>Gardner</i> . |
| Winchendon, . . . | June 14, 1764, | Ipswich Canada. See <i>Gardner</i> . |
| Worcester, . . . | Oct. 15, 1684, | Indian name, Quansigamond. Grafton Gore annexed to Worcester, March 22, 1838. See <i>Holden</i> and <i>Ward</i> . |

CITIES IN THE COMMONWEALTH,

WITH THE DATE OF THEIR INCORPORATION.

| NAME. | INCORPORATED. |
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| Boston, | Feb'y 22, 1822. |
| Salem, | March 23, 1836. |
| Lowell, | April 1, 1836. |
| Cambridge, | March 17, 1846. |
| New Bedford, | March 9, 1847. |
| Worcester, | Feb'y 29, 1848. |
| Lynn, | April 9, 1849. |
| Newburyport, | May 24, 1851. |
| Springfield, | April 12, 1852. |
| Lawrence, | March 21, 1853. |
| Fall River, | April 12, 1854. |
| Chelsea, | March 13, 1857. |
| Taunton, | May 11, 1864. |
| Haverhill, | May 10, 1869. |
| Somerville, | April 14, 1871. |
| Fitchburg, | March 8, 1872. |
| Holyoke, | April 17, 1873. |
| Gloucester, | April 28, 1873. |
| Newton, | June 2, 1873. |

MILEAGE SCHEDULE.

ADOPTED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, FEBRUARY 3, 1869,
FOR THE PAYMENT OF MILEAGE TO ITS MEMBERS.

COUNTY OF BARNSTABLE.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
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| Barnstable, | 80 | Orleans, | 100 |
| Brewster, | 95 | Provincetown, | 125 |
| Chatham, | 100 | Sandwich, | 65 |
| Dennis, | 85 | Truro, | 120 |
| Eastham, | 100 | Wellfleet, | 110 |
| Falmouth, | 80 | Yarmouth, | 80 |
| Harwich, | 90 | | |

COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
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| Adams, | 140 | New Ashford, | 150 |
| Alford, | 180 | New Marlborough, | 180 |
| Becket, | 140 | Otis, | 170 |
| Cheshire, | 160 | Peru, | 150 |
| Clarksburg, | 145 | Pittsfield, | 150 |
| Dalton, | 145 | Richmond, | 160 |
| Egremont, | 180 | Sandisfield, | 180 |
| Florida, | 135 | Savoy, | 145 |
| Great Barrington, | 175 | Shetfield, | 185 |
| Hancock, | 165 | Stockbridge, | 170 |
| Hinsdale, | 145 | Tyringham, | 160 |
| Lanesborough, | 155 | Washington, | 145 |
| Lee, | 165 | West Stockbridge, | 165 |
| Lenox, | 160 | Williamstown, | 145 |
| Monterey, | 175 | Windsor, | 155 |
| Mt. Washington, | 190 | | |

COUNTY OF BRISTOL.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
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| Acushnet, | 55 | New Bedford, | 55 |
| Attleborough, | 35 | Norton, | 35 |
| Berkley, | 40 | Raynham, | 35 |
| Dartmouth, | 60 | Rehoboth, | 40 |
| Dighton, | 40 | Seekonk, | 40 |
| Easton, | 25 | Somerset, | 45 |
| Fairhaven, | 60 | Swansea, | 50 |
| Fall River, | 55 | Taunton, | 35 |
| Freetown, | 50 | Westport, | 65 |
| Mansfield, | 30 | | |

DUKES COUNTY.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
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| Chilmark, | 100 | Gosnold, | 100 |
| Edgartown, | 100 | Tisbury, | 100 |

COUNTY OF ESSEX.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
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| Amesbury, | 45 | Marblehead, | 20 |
| Andover, | 25 | Methuen, | 35 |
| Beverly, | 20 | Middleton, | 25 |
| Boxford, | 30 | Nahant, | 15 |
| Bradford, | 35 | Newbury, | 40 |
| Danvers, | 20 | Newburyport, | 40 |
| Essex, | 30 | North Andover, | 30 |
| Georgetown, | 30 | Peabody, | 20 |
| Gloucester, | 35 | Rockport, | 40 |
| Groveland, | 35 | Rowley, | 35 |
| Hamilton, | 25 | Salem, | 20 |
| Haverhill, | 35 | Salisbury, | 40 |
| Ipswich, | 30 | Saugus, | 10 |
| Lawrence, | 30 | Swampscott, | 15 |
| Lynn, | 10 | Topsfield, | 25 |
| Lynnfield, | 15 | Wenham, | 25 |
| Manchester, | 25 | West Newbury, | 30 |

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
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| Ashfield, | 135 | Leyden, | 120 |
| Bernardston, | 115 | Monroe, | 140 |
| Buckland, | 125 | Montague, | 105 |
| Charlemont, | 130 | New Salem, | 95 |
| Colrain, | 125 | Northfield, | 100 |
| Conway, | 120 | Orange, | 90 |
| Deerfield, | 115 | Rowe, | 135 |
| Erving, | 90 | Shelburne, | 125 |
| Gill, | 105 | Shutesbury, | 115 |
| Greenfield, | 110 | Sunderland, | 110 |
| Hawley, | 135 | Warwick, | 95 |
| Heath, | 135 | Wendell, | 95 |
| Leverett, | 110 | Whately, | 120 |

COUNTY OF HAMPDEN.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
|---------------------|--------|---------------------------|--------|
| Agawam, | 100 | Montgomery, | 120 |
| Blandford, | 120 | Palmer, | 85 |
| Brimfield, | 85 | Russell, | 120 |
| Chester, | 130 | Southwick, | 115 |
| Chicopee, | 105 | Springfield, | 100 |
| Granville, | 120 | Tolland, | 125 |
| Holland, | 90 | Wales, | 100 |
| Holyoke, | 110 | Westfield, | 110 |
| Longmeadow, | 105 | West Springfield, | 100 |
| Ludlow, | 95 | Wilbraham, | 90 |
| Monson, | 90 | | |

COUNTY OF HAMPSHIRE.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
|-----------------------|--------|----------------------|--------|
| Amherst, | 100 | Easthampton, | 125 |
| Belchertown, | 95 | Enfield, | 100 |
| Chesterfield, | 135 | Goshen, | 125 |
| Cummington, | 140 | Granby, | 100 |

COUNTY OF HAMPSHIRE—Continued.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
|------------------------|--------|-------------------------|--------|
| Greenwich, | 90 | Prescott, | 90 |
| Hadley, | 120 | South Hadley, | 115 |
| Hatfield, | 120 | Southampton, | 120 |
| Huntington, | 120 | Ware, | 80 |
| Middlefield, | 135 | Westhampton, | 125 |
| Northampton, | 115 | Williamsburg, | 125 |
| Pelham, | 105 | Worthington, | 135 |
| Plainfield, | 140 | | |

COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
|------------------------|--------|--------------------------|--------|
| Acton, | 25 | Marlborough, | 35 |
| Arlington, | 5 | Medford, | 5 |
| Ashby, | 50 | Melrose, | 5 |
| Ashland, | 25 | Natick, | 20 |
| Bedford, | 20 | Newton, | 10 |
| Belmont, | 10 | North Reading, | 20 |
| Billerica, | 20 | Pepperell, | 40 |
| Boxborough, | 30 | Reading, | 15 |
| Brighton, | 5 | Sherborn, | 30 |
| Burlington, | 15 | Shirley, | 40 |
| Cambridge, | 5 | Somerville, | 5 |
| Carlisle, | 20 | Stoneham, | 10 |
| Charlestown, | 5 | Stow, | 30 |
| Chelmsford, | 30 | Sudbury, | 25 |
| Concord, | 20 | Tewksbury, | 20 |
| Dracut, | 35 | Townsend, | 40 |
| Dunstable, | 40 | Tyngsborough, | 35 |
| Framingham, | 25 | Wakefield, | 10 |
| Groton, | 35 | Waltham, | 10 |
| Hopkinton, | 30 | Watertown, | 10 |
| Holliston, | 25 | Wayland, | 20 |
| Hudson, | 35 | Westford, | 30 |
| Lexington, | 10 | Weston, | 15 |
| Lincoln, | 20 | Wilmington, | 20 |
| Littleton, | 30 | Winchester, | 10 |
| Lowell, | 30 | Woburn, | 10 |
| Malden, | 5 | | |

COUNTY OF NANTUCKET.

| | Miles. |
|----------------------|--------|
| Nantucket, | 120 |

COUNTY OF NORFOLK.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------|--------|
| Bellingham, | 30 | Medway, | 30 |
| Braintree, | 15 | Milton, | 10 |
| Brookline, | 5 | Needham, | 15 |
| Canton, | 15 | Quincy, | 10 |
| Cohasset, | 25 | Randolph, | 15 |
| Dedham, | 10 | Sharon, | 20 |
| Dorchester, | 5 | Stoughton, | 20 |
| Dover, | 15 | Walpole, | 20 |
| Foxborough, | 25 | West Roxbury, | 5 |
| Franklin, | 30 | Weymouth, | 15 |
| Hyde Park, | 10 | Wrentham, | 25 |
| Medfield, | 20 | | |

COUNTY OF PLYMOUTH.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
|-----------------------------|--------|------------------------------|--------|
| Abington, | 20 | Marshfield, | 35 |
| Bridgewater, | 30 | Mattapoisett, | 55 |
| Carver, | 45 | Middleborough, | 35 |
| Duxbury, | 40 | North Bridgewater, | 25 |
| East Bridgewater, | 25 | Pembroke, | 30 |
| Halifax, | 30 | Plymouth, | 40 |
| Hanover, | 25 | Plympton, | 35 |
| Hanson, | 25 | Rochester, | 50 |
| Hingham, | 20 | Scituate, | 30 |
| Hull, | 25 | South Scituate, | 30 |
| Kingston, | 35 | Wareham, | 50 |
| Lakeville, | 40 | West Bridgewater, | 25 |
| Marion, | 50 | | |

COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
|--------------------|--------|---------------------|--------|
| Boston, | 5 | Revere, | 5 |
| Chelsea, | 5 | Winthrop, | 10 |

COUNTY OF WORCESTER.

| | Miles. | | Miles. |
|--------------------------|--------|-----------------------------|--------|
| Ashburnham, | 65 | Northborough, | 35 |
| Athol, | 80 | Northbridge, | 50 |
| Auburn, | 50 | North Brookfield, | 70 |
| Barre, | 55 | Oakham, | 60 |
| Berlin, | 35 | Oxford, | 60 |
| Blackstone, | 35 | Paxton, | 55 |
| Bolton, | 30 | Petersham, | 75 |
| Boylston, | 50 | Phillipston, | 75 |
| Brookfield, | 65 | Princeton, | 60 |
| Charlton, | 65 | Royalston, | 80 |
| Clinton, | 45 | Rutland, | 60 |
| Dana, | 80 | Shrewsbury, | 40 |
| Douglas, | 50 | Southborough, | 30 |
| Dudley, | 60 | Southbridge, | 70 |
| Fitchburg, | 50 | Spencer, | 65 |
| Gardner, | 65 | Sterling, | 45 |
| Grafton, | 40 | Sturbridge, | 70 |
| Hardwick, | 80 | Sutton, | 55 |
| Harvard, | 35 | Templeton, | 75 |
| Holden, | 50 | Upton, | 45 |
| Hubbardston, | 75 | Uxbridge, | 45 |
| Lancaster, | 45 | Warren, | 75 |
| Leicester, | 50 | Webster, | 60 |
| Leominster, | 50 | Westborough, | 35 |
| Lunenburg, | 50 | West Boylston, | 50 |
| Mendon, | 40 | West Brookfield, | 70 |
| Milford, | 35 | Westminster, | 55 |
| Millbury, | 45 | Winchendon, | 65 |
| New Braintree, | 70 | Worcester, | 45 |

NOTE.—The towns incorporated since 1869 are not included in this schedule.

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS.

ESTABLISHED BY CHAPTER 300 OF THE ACTS OF 1872.

DISTRICT No. 1.

| TOWNS. | Population, 1870. | TOWNS. | Population, 1870. |
|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Plymouth Co.</i> | | <i>Barnstable Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Carver, . . . | 1,092 | Brewster, . . . | 1,259 |
| Duxbury, . . . | 2,341 | Chatham, . . . | 2,411 |
| Halifax, . . . | 619 | Dennis, . . . | 3,269 |
| Kingston, . . . | 1,604 | Eastham, . . . | 668 |
| Lakeville, . . . | 1,159 | Falmouth, . . . | 2,237 |
| Marion, . . . | 896 | Harwich, . . . | 3,080 |
| Marshfield, . . . | 1,659 | Mashpee, . . . | 348 |
| Mattapoissett, . . . | 1,361 | Orleans, . . . | 1,323 |
| Middleborough, . . . | 4,687 | Provincetown, . . . | 3,865 |
| Pembroke, . . . | 1,447 | Sandwich, . . . | 3,694 |
| Plymouth, . . . | 6,238 | Truro, . . . | 1,269 |
| Plympton, . . . | 804 | Wellfleet, . . . | 2,135 |
| Rochester, . . . | 1,024 | Yarmouth, . . . | 2,423 |
| Wareham, . . . | 3,098 | | |
| <i>Nantucket Co.</i> | | <i>Bristol Co.</i> | |
| Nantucket, . . . | 4,123 | Acushnet, . . . | 1,132 |
| <i>Dukes Co.</i> | | Dartmouth, . . . | 3,367 |
| Chilmark, . . . | 476 | Fairhaven, . . . | 2,626 |
| Edgartown, . . . | 1,516 | Fall River, . . . | 26,766 |
| Gay Head, . . . | 160 | Freetown, . . . | 1,372 |
| Gosnold, . . . | 99 | New Bedford, . . . | 21,320 |
| Tisbury, . . . | 1,536 | Somerset, . . . | 1,776 |
| <i>Barnstable Co.</i> | | Swansea, . . . | 1,294 |
| Barnstable, . . . | 4,793 | Westport, . . . | 2,724 |
| | | Population, . . . | 131,090 |

DISTRICT No. 2.

| | | | |
|---------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|
| <i>Bristol Co.</i> | | <i>Bristol Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Attleborough, . . . | 6,769 | Dighton, . . . | 1,817 |
| Berkley, . . . | 744 | Easton, . . . | 3,668 |

DISTRICT No. 2.—Con.

| TOWNS. | Population, 1870. | TOWNS. | Population, 1870. |
|-------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Bristol Co.—Con.</i> | | <i>Norfolk Co.</i> | |
| Mansfield, . . . | 2,432 | Braintree, . . . | 3,948 |
| Norton, . . . | 1,821 | Canton, . . . | 3,879 |
| Raynham, . . . | 1,713 | Cohasset, . . . | 2,130 |
| Rehoboth, . . . | 1,895 | Foxborough, . . . | 3,057 |
| Seekonk, . . . | 1,021 | Holbrook,† . . . | - |
| Taunton, . . . | 18,629 | Hyde Park, . . . | 4,136 |
| | | Milton, . . . | 2,683 |
| <i>Plymouth Co.</i> | | Norfolk, . . . | 1,081 |
| Abington, . . . | 9,308 | Quincy, . . . | 7,442 |
| Bridgewater, . . . | 3,660 | Randolph, . . . | 5,642 |
| Brockton,* . . . | 8,007 | Sharon, . . . | 1,508 |
| E. Bridgewater, . . . | 3,017 | Stoughton, . . . | 4,914 |
| Hanover, . . . | 1,628 | Walpole, . . . | 2,137 |
| Hanson, . . . | 1,219 | Weymouth, . . . | 9,010 |
| Hingham, . . . | 4,422 | Wrentham, . . . | 2,292 |
| Hull, . . . | 261 | | |
| Scituate, . . . | 2,350 | Population, . . . | 131,704 |
| South Scituate, . . . | 1,661 | | |
| W. Bridgewater, . . . | 1,803 | | |

DISTRICT No. 3.

| | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------|---------|
| <i>Suffolk Co.</i> | | <i>Suffolk Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Ward 7, Boston, . . . | 28,921 | Ward 14, Boston, . . . | 11,385 |
| 8, Boston, . . . | 11,278 | 15, Boston, . . . | 14,851 |
| 10, Boston, . . . | 13,097 | 16, Boston, . . . | 12,259 |
| 11, Boston, . . . | 14,617 | | |
| 12, Boston, . . . | 19,880 | Population, . . . | 134,824 |
| 13, Boston, . . . | 8,536 | | |

DISTRICT No. 4.

| | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-------------------------|---------|
| <i>Suffolk Co.</i> | | <i>Suffolk Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Ward 1, Boston, . . . | 25,484 | Ward 9, Boston, . . . | 14,142 |
| 2, Boston, . . . | 24,912 | Chelsea, . . . | 18,547 |
| 3, Boston, . . . | 14,990 | Winthrop, . . . | 532 |
| 4, Boston, . . . | 10,216 | Revere, . . . | 1,197 |
| 5, Boston, . . . | 14,166 | | |
| 6, Boston, . . . | 11,792 | Population, . . . | 135,978 |

* Formerly N. Bridgewater.

† New town, 1872.

DISTRICT No. 5.

| TOWNS. | Population, 1870. | TOWNS. | Population, 1870. |
|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Essex Co.</i> | | <i>Middlesex Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Lynn, . . . | 28,233 | Malden, . . . | 7,367 |
| Nahant, . . . | 475 | Medford, . . . | 5,717 |
| Saugus, . . . | 2,247 | Melrose, . . . | 3,414 |
| Swampscott, . . . | 1,846 | Somerville, . . . | 14,685 |
| <i>Middlesex Co.</i> | | Stoncham, . . . | 4,513 |
| Arlington, . . . | 3,261 | Wakefield, . . . | 4,135 |
| Belmont, . . . | 1,513 | Waltham, . . . | 9,065 |
| Burlington, . . . | 626 | Winchester, . . . | 2,645 |
| Charlestown, . . . | 28,323 | Woburn, . . . | 8,560 |
| Everett, . . . | 2,220 | | |
| Lexington, . . . | 2,277 | Population, . . . | 131,122 |

DISTRICT No. 6.

| | | | |
|-------------------|--------|-----------------------|---------|
| <i>Essex Co.</i> | | <i>Essex Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Amesbury, . . . | 5,581 | Middleton, . . . | 1,010 |
| Beverly, . . . | 6,507 | Newbury, . . . | 1,430 |
| Boxford, . . . | 847 | Newburyport, . . . | 12,595 |
| Bradford, . . . | 2,014 | North Andover, . . . | 2,549 |
| Danvers, . . . | 5,600 | Peabody, . . . | 7,343 |
| Essex, . . . | 1,614 | Rockport, . . . | 3,904 |
| Georgetown, . . . | 2,088 | Rowley, . . . | 1,157 |
| Gloucester, . . . | 15,389 | Salem, . . . | 24,117 |
| Groveland, . . . | 1,776 | Salisbury, . . . | 3,776 |
| Hamilton, . . . | 790 | Topsfield, . . . | 1,213 |
| Haverhill, . . . | 13,092 | Wenham, . . . | 985 |
| Ipswich, . . . | 3,720 | West Newbury, . . . | 2,006 |
| Lynnfield, . . . | 818 | | |
| Manchester, . . . | 1,665 | Population, . . . | 131,289 |
| Marblehead, . . . | 7,703 | | |

DISTRICT No. 7.

| | | | |
|------------------|--------|----------------------|-------|
| <i>Essex Co.</i> | | <i>Middlesex Co.</i> | |
| Andover, . . . | 4,873 | Acton, . . . | 1,593 |
| Lawrence, . . . | 28,921 | Ashby, . . . | 994 |
| Methuen, . . . | 2,959 | Ayer,* . . . | - |

* New town.

DISTRICT No. 7.—Con.

| TOWNS. | Population, 1870. | TOWNS. | Population, 1870. |
|---------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Middlesex Co.—Con.</i> | | <i>Middlesex Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Bedford, . . . | 849 | Reading, . . . | 2,664 |
| Billerica, . . . | 1,833 | Shirley, . . . | 1,451 |
| Boxborough, . . . | 338 | Stow, . . . | 1,813 |
| Carlisle, . . . | 569 | Sudbury, . . . | 2,091 |
| Chelmsford, . . . | 2,374 | Tewksbury, . . . | 1,944 |
| Concord, . . . | 2,412 | Townsend, . . . | 1,962 |
| Dracut, . . . | 2,078 | Tyngsborough, . . . | 629 |
| Dunstable, . . . | 471 | Westford, . . . | 1,803 |
| Groton, . . . | 3,584 | Wilmington, . . . | 866 |
| Hudson, . . . | 3,389 | | |
| Lincoln, . . . | 791 | <i>Worcester Co.</i> | |
| Littleton, . . . | 983 | Berlin, . . . | 1,016 |
| Lowell, . . . | 40,928 | Bolton, . . . | 1,014 |
| Marlborough, . . . | 8,474 | Harvard, . . . | 1,341 |
| Maynard,* . . . | — | Lancaster, . . . | 1,845 |
| North Reading, . . . | 942 | | |
| Pepperell, . . . | 1,842 | Population, . . . | 131,636 |

DISTRICT No. 8.

| | | | |
|----------------------|--------|---------------------------|---------|
| <i>Worcester Co.</i> | | <i>Middlesex Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Milford, . . . | 9,890 | Wayland, . . . | 1,240 |
| Southborough, . . . | 2,135 | Weston, . . . | 1,261 |
| <i>Middlesex Co.</i> | | <i>Norfolk Co.</i> | |
| Ashland, . . . | 2,186 | Brookline, . . . | 6,650 |
| Brighton, . . . | 4,967 | Dedham, . . . | 7,342 |
| Cambridge, . . . | 39,634 | Dover, . . . | 645 |
| Framingham, . . . | 4,968 | Franklin, . . . | 2,512 |
| Holliston, . . . | 3,073 | Medfield, . . . | 1,142 |
| Hopkinton, . . . | 4,419 | Medway, . . . | 3,721 |
| Natick, . . . | 6,404 | Needham, . . . | 3,607 |
| Newton, . . . | 12,825 | Norwood,* . . . | — |
| Sherborn, . . . | 1,062 | West Roxbury, . . . | 8,683 |
| Watertown, . . . | 4,326 | Population, . . . | 132,592 |

DISTRICT No. 9.

| | | | |
|----------------------|-------|---------------------------|-------|
| <i>Worcester Co.</i> | | <i>Worcester Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Auburn, . . . | 1,178 | Blackstone, . . . | 5,421 |
| Barre, . . . | 2,572 | Boylston, . . . | 800 |

* New town.

DISTRICT No. 9.—Con.

| TOWNS. | Population, 1870. | TOWNS. | Population, 1870. |
|---------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Worcester Co.—Con.</i> | | <i>Worcester Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Brookfield, . . . | 2,527 | Rutland, . . . | 1,024 |
| Charlton, . . . | 1,878 | Shrewsbury, . . . | 1,610 |
| Douglas, . . . | 2,182 | Southbridge, . . . | 5,208 |
| Dudley, . . . | 2,338 | Spencer, . . . | 3,952 |
| Grafton, . . . | 4,594 | Sturbridge, . . . | 2,101 |
| Hardwick, . . . | 2,219 | Sutton, . . . | 2,699 |
| Holden, . . . | 2,062 | Upton, . . . | 1,989 |
| Hubbardston, . . . | 1,654 | Uxbridge, . . . | 3,058 |
| Leicester, . . . | 2,768 | Warren, . . . | 2,625 |
| Mendon, . . . | 1,175 | Webster, . . . | 4,763 |
| Millbury, . . . | 4,397 | Westborough, . . . | 3,601 |
| New Braintree, . . . | 640 | West Boylston, . . . | 2,862 |
| Northborough, . . . | 1,504 | West Brookfield, . . . | 1,842 |
| Northbridge, . . . | 3,774 | Worcester, . . . | 41,105 |
| North Brookfield, . . . | 3,343 | | |
| Oakham, . . . | 860 | <i>Norfolk Co.</i> | |
| Oxford, . . . | 2,669 | Bellingham, . . . | 1,282 |
| Paxton, . . . | 646 | | |
| Princeton, . . . | 1,279 | Population, . . . | 132,351 |

DISTRICT No. 10.

| | | | |
|---------------------|-------|--------------------------|--------|
| <i>Franklin Co.</i> | | <i>Franklin Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Ashfield, . . . | 1,180 | Shutesbury, . . . | 614 |
| Bernardston, . . . | 961 | Sunderland, . . . | 832 |
| Buckland, . . . | 1,946 | Warwick, . . . | 769 |
| Charlemont, . . . | 1,005 | Wendell, . . . | 539 |
| Colrain, . . . | 1,742 | Whately, . . . | 1,068 |
| Conway, . . . | 1,460 | | |
| Deerfield, . . . | 3,632 | <i>Hampshire Co.</i> | |
| Erving, . . . | 579 | Amherst, . . . | 4,035 |
| Gill, . . . | 653 | Belchertown, . . . | 2,428 |
| Greenfield, . . . | 3,589 | Chesterfield, . . . | 811 |
| Hawley, . . . | 672 | Cummington, . . . | 1,037 |
| Heath, . . . | 613 | Easthampton, . . . | 3,620 |
| Leverett, . . . | 877 | Enfield, . . . | 1,023 |
| Leyden, . . . | 518 | Goshen, . . . | 368 |
| Monroe, . . . | 201 | Granby, . . . | 863 |
| Montague, . . . | 2,224 | Greenwich, . . . | 665 |
| New Salem, . . . | 987 | Hadley, . . . | 2,301 |
| Northfield, . . . | 1,720 | Hatfield, . . . | 1,594 |
| Orange, . . . | 2,091 | Huntington, . . . | 1,156 |
| Rowe, . . . | 581 | Middlefield, . . . | 727 |
| Shelburne, . . . | 1,582 | Northampton, . . . | 10,160 |

DISTRICT No. 10.—Con.

| TOWNS. | Population, 1870. | TOWNS. | Population, 1870. |
|---------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| <i>Hampshire Co.—Con.</i> | | <i>Worcester Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Pelham, | 673 | Gardner, | 3,333 |
| Plainfield, | 521 | Leominster, | 3,894 |
| Prescott, | 541 | Lunenburg, | 1,121 |
| South Hadley, | 2,840 | Petersham, | 1,335 |
| Southampton, | 1,159 | Phillipston, | 693 |
| Ware, | 4,259 | Royalston, | 1,354 |
| Westhampton, | 587 | Sterling, | 1,670 |
| Williamsburg, | 2,159 | Templeton, | 2,802 |
| Worthington, | 860 | Westminster, | 1,770 |
| <i>Worcester Co.</i> | | Wiuchendon, | 3,398 |
| Ashburnham, | 2,172 | <i>Hampden Co.</i> | |
| Athol, | 3,517 | Holyoke, | 10,733 |
| Clinton, | 5,429 | <i>Population,</i> | |
| Dana, | 758 | | 132,262 |
| Fitchburg, | 11,260 | | |

DISTRICT No. 11.

| | | | |
|---------------------------|--------|----------------------------|---------|
| <i>Berkshire Co.</i> | | <i>Berkshire Co.—Con.</i> | |
| Adams, | 12,090 | West Stockbridge, | 1,924 |
| Alford, | 430 | Williamstown, | 3,559 |
| Becket, | 1,346 | Windsor, | 686 |
| Cheshire, | 1,758 | <i>Hampden Co.</i> | |
| Clarksburg, | 686 | Agawam, | 2,001 |
| Dalton, | 1,252 | Blandford, | 1,026 |
| Egremont, | 931 | Brimfield, | 1,288 |
| Florida, | 1,322 | Chester, | 1,253 |
| Great Barrington, | 4,320 | Chicopee, | 9,607 |
| Hancock, | 882 | Granville, | 1,293 |
| Hinsdale, | 1,695 | Holland, | 344 |
| Lanesborough, | 1,393 | Longmeadow, | 1,342 |
| Lee, | 3,866 | Ludlow, | 1,136 |
| Lenox, | 1,965 | Monson, | 3,204 |
| Monterey, | 653 | Montgomery, | 318 |
| Mt. Washington, | 256 | Palmer, | 3,631 |
| New Ashford, | 208 | Russell, | 635 |
| New Marlborough, | 1,855 | Southwick, | 1,100 |
| Otis, | 960 | Springfield, | 26,703 |
| Peru, | 455 | Tolland, | 509 |
| Pittsfield, | 11,112 | Wales, | 831 |
| Richmond, | 1,091 | Westfield, | 6,519 |
| Sandisfield, | 1,482 | West Springfield, | 2,606 |
| Savoy, | 861 | Wilbraham, | 2,380 |
| Sheffield, | 2,535 | <i>Population,</i> | |
| Stockbridge, | 2,003 | | 132,502 |
| Tyringham, | 557 | | |
| Washington, | 694 | | |

RECAPITULATION.

| DISTRICT. | Population. |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Number 1, | 131,090 |
| 2, | 131,704 |
| 3, | 134,824 |
| 4, | 135,978 |
| 5, | 131,122 |
| 6, | 131,289 |
| 7, | 131,636 |
| 8, | 132,592 |
| 9, | 132,351 |
| 10, | 132,262 |
| 11, | 132,502 |
| Total, | 1,457,350 |

SENATE DISTRICTS.

AS ESTABLISHED BY CHAP. 120 OF THE ACTS OF 1866.

[Average ratio for the State, 6,189.]

SUFFOLK COUNTY—SIX SENATORS.

First District.—Chelsea, Revere, Winthrop, and Ward No. 1, Boston.
Legal voters, 6,360.

Second District.—Wards Nos. 2, 3 and 6, Boston. Legal voters, 8,697.

Third District.—Wards Nos. 4 and 5, Boston. Legal voters, 6,195.

Fourth District.—Wards Nos. 8 and 9, Boston. Legal voters, 5,137.

Fifth District.—Wards Nos. 10 and 11, Boston. Legal voters, 5,109.

Sixth District.—Wards Nos. 7 and 12, Boston. Legal voters, 5,234.

ESSEX COUNTY—FIVE SENATORS.

First District.—Lynn, Lynnfield, Marblehead, Nahant, Saugus and Swampscott. Legal voters, 6,855.

Second District.—Danvers, Hamilton, Middleton, Peabody, Salem, Topsfield and Wenham. Legal voters, 6,215.

Third District.—Andover, Boxford, Haverhill, Lawrence, Methuen and North Andover. Legal voters, 7,111.

Fourth District.—Amesbury, Bradford, Georgetown, Groveland, Newbury, Newburyport, Salisbury and West Newbury. Legal voters, 6,267.

Fifth District.—Beverly, Essex, Gloucester, Ipswich, Manchester, Rockport and Rowley. Legal voters, 6,624.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY—SEVEN SENATORS.

First District.—Charlestown. Legal voters, 5,596.

Second District.—Arlington, Belmont, Everett, Malden, Medford, Somerville, Waltham and Watertown. Legal voters, 6,462.

Third District.—Cambridge and Brighton. Legal voters, 5,810.

Fourth District.—Ashland, Framingham, Holliston, Hopkinton, Natick, Newton, Sherborn, Wayland and Weston. Legal voters, 6,258.

Fifth District.—Acton, Ashby, Boxborough, Carlisle, Concord, Dunstable, Groton, Hudson, Lincoln, Littleton, Marlborough, Pepperell, Shirley, Stow, Sudbury, Townsend, Tyngsborough and Westford. Legal voters, 5,828.

Sixth District.—Bedford, Billerica, Burlington, Lexington, Melrose, North Reading, Reading, Stoneham, Tewksbury, Wakefield, Wilmington, Winchester and Woburn. Legal voters, 6,014.

Seventh District.—Chelmsford, Dracut and Lowell. Legal voters, 5,967.

WORCESTER COUNTY—FIVE SENATORS.

First District.—Worcester. Legal voters, 5,880.

Second District.—Blackstone, Douglas, Grafton, Mendon, Milford, Northborough, Northbridge, Shrewsbury, Southborough, Upton, Uxbridge and Westborough. Legal voters, 6,883.

Third District.—Auburn, Brookfield, Charlton, Dudley, Leicester, Millbury, Oxford, Southbridge, Spencer, Sturbridge, Sutton, Warren and West Brookfield. Legal voters, 6,535.

Fourth District.—Athol, Barre, Dana, Gardner, Hardwick, Holden, Hubbardston, New Braintree, North Brookfield, Oakham, Paxton, Petersham, Phillipston, Royalston, Rutland, Templeton and Winchendon. Legal voters, 6,383.

Fifth District.—Ashburnham, Berlin, Bolton, Boylston, Clinton, Fitchburg, Harvard, Lancaster, Leominster, Lunenburg, Princeton, Sterling, West Boylston and Westminster. Legal voters, 6,574.

HAMPDEN COUNTY—TWO SENATORS.

First District.—Brimfield, Holland, Monson, Palmer, Springfield, Wales and Wilbraham. Legal voters, 6,306.

Second District.—Agawam, Blandford, Chester, Chicopee, Granville, Holyoke, Longmeadow, Ludlow, Montgomery, Russell, Southwick, Tolland, Westfield and West Springfield. Legal voters, 6,024.

HAMPSHIRE, FRANKLIN AND BERKSHIRE COUNTIES—FOUR SENATORS.

Hampshire District.—Amherst, Belchertown, Easthampton, Enfield, Granby, Greenwich, Hadley, Hatfield, Northampton, Pelham, Prescott, South Hadley, Southampton, Ware, Westhampton and Williamsburg. Legal voters, 6,350.

Berkshire and Hampshire District.—Alford, Becket, Egremont, Great Barrington, Lee, Lenox, Monterey, Mount Washington, New Marlborough, Otis, Sandisfield, Sheffield, Stockbridge, Tyringham, West Stockbridge, Chesterfield, Cummington, Goshen, Huntington, Middlefield, Plainfield and Worthington. Legal voters, 6,099.

Berkshire District.—Adams, Cheshire, Clarksburg, Dalton, Florida, Hancock, Hinsdale, Lanesborough, New Ashford, Peru, Pittsfield, Richmond, Savoy, Washington, Williamstown, Windsor, Hawley, and Monroe. Legal voters, 6,013.

Franklin District.—Ashfield, Bernardston, Buckland, Charlemont, Colrain, Conway, Deerfield, Erving, Gill, Greenfield, Heath, Leverett, Leyden, Montague, New Salem, Northfield, Orange, Rowe, Shelburne, Shutesbury, Sunderland, Warwick, Wendell and Whately. Legal voters, 6,987.

NORFOLK AND PLYMOUTH COUNTIES—SIX SENATORS.

First Norfolk District.—Brookline, Roxbury and West Roxbury. Legal voters, 6,235.

Second Norfolk District.—Canton, Dedham, Norwood (except that part taken from Walpole), Dorchester, Dover, Milton, Needham and Quincy. Legal voters, 6,094. [The inhabitants of Hyde Park vote with Dorchester, Milton and Dedham.]

Third Norfolk District.—Bellingham, Foxborough, Franklin, Medfield, Medway, Norfolk, Randolph, Holbrook, Sharon, Stoughton, Walpole (including the voters of that part of Norwood taken from Walpole) and Wrentham. Legal voters, 6,084.

First Plymouth District.—Carver, Duxbury, Kingston, Lakeville, Marion, Mattapoisett, Middleborough, Plymouth, Plympton, Rochester and Wareham. Legal voters, 5,973.

Second Plymouth District.—Abington, Bridgewater, East Bridgewater, Halifax, Hanson, Brockton, Pembroke and West Bridgewater. Legal voters, 5,878.

Norfolk and Plymouth District.—Cohasset, Hanover, Hingham, Hull, Marshfield, Scituate, South Scituate, Braintree and Weymouth. Legal voters, 5,904.

BRISTOL COUNTY—THREE SENATORS.

Fifth District.—Attleborough, Easton, Mansfield, Norton, Raynham and Taunton. Legal voters, 6,058.

Second District.—Acushnet, Dartmouth, Fairhaven and New Bedford. Legal voters, 6,272.

Third District.—Berkley, Dighton, Fall River, Freetown, Rehoboth, Seekonk, Somerset, Swansea and Westport. Legal voters, 6,246.

BARNSTABLE, DUKES AND NANTUCKET COUNTIES—Two SENATORS.

Island District.—Barnstable, Falmouth, Sandwich, Chilmark, Edgartown, Gay Head, Gosnold, Mashpee, Tisbury and Nantucket. Legal voters, 4,558.

Cape District.—Brewster, Chatham, Dennis, Eastham, Harwich, Orleans, Provincetown, Truro, Wellfleet and Yarmouth. Legal voters, 5,562.

COUNCIL DISTRICTS.

AS ESTABLISHED BY CHAP. 221 OF THE ACTS OF 1866.

[Each District consists of five Senatorial Districts.]

- I.—The Island District, Cape District, First Plymouth, Second and Third Bristol Districts.
- II.—The Second Plymouth, First Bristol, Norfolk and Plymouth, Second Norfolk and Third Norfolk Districts.
- III.—The Sixth Suffolk, First Norfolk, Third Middlesex, Fourth Middlesex and Second Worcester Districts.
- IV.—The First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth Suffolk Districts.
- V.—The First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth Essex Districts.
- VI.—The First, Second, Fifth, Sixth and Seventh Middlesex Districts.
- VII.—The First, Third, Fourth and Fifth Worcester Districts, and the Franklin District.
- VIII.—The Hampshire, First Hampden, Second Hampden, Berkshire, and Berkshire and Hampshire Districts.

REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICTS.

AS ESTABLISHED by the County Commissioners of the several Counties, other than Suffolk, and the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Boston, for the County of Suffolk, pursuant to the 21st Article of Amendments of the Constitution, and Chap. 103 of the Acts of 1866; with the number of Legal Voters in each District (according to the census of 1865), and the number of Representatives to which said Districts are respectively entitled.

[Average ratio for the State, 1,028 voters.]

SUFFOLK COUNTY—*Thirty-six Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Boston, 1st Ward. Legal voters, 3,530. Three representatives.
- II.—Boston, 2d Ward. Legal voters, 3,085. Three representatives.
- III.—Boston, 3d Ward. Legal voters, 3,050. Three representatives.
- IV.—Boston, 4th Ward. Legal voters, 3,076. Three representatives.
- V.—Boston, 5th Ward. Legal voters, 3,119. Three representatives.
- VI.—Boston, 6th Ward. Legal voters, 2,660. Three representatives.
- VII.—Boston, 7th Ward. Legal voters, 2,857. Three representatives.
- VIII.—Boston, 8th Ward. Legal voters, 2,877. Three representatives.
- IX.—Boston, 9th Ward. Legal voters, 2,260. Two representatives.
- X.—Boston, 10th Ward. Legal voters, 2,546. Two representatives.
- XI.—Boston, 11th Ward. Legal voters, 2,573. Three representatives.
- XII.—Boston, 12th Ward. Legal voters, 2,367. Two representatives.
- XIII.—Chelsea, Revere and Winthrop. Legal voters, 2,830. Three representatives.

ESSEX COUNTY—*Thirty-two Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Salisbury, Amesbury and West Newbury. Legal voters, 2,116. Two representatives.
- II.—Haverhill and Bradford. Legal voters, 2,802. Three representatives.
- III.—Lawrence and Methuen. Legal voters, 3,247. Three representatives.

DISTRICT

- IV.—Andover and North Andover. Legal voters, 1,240. One representative.
- V.—Georgetown, Groveland and Boxford. Legal voters, 994. One representative.
- VI.—Newburyport and Newbury. Legal voters, 2,979. Three representatives.
- VII.—Ipswich and Rowley. Legal voters, 1,002. One representative.
- VIII.—Gloucester and Essex. Legal voters, 2,902. Three representatives.
- IX.—Rockport. Legal voters, 915. One representative.
- X.—Beverly, Manchester and Hamilton. Legal voters, 1,992. Two representatives.
- XI.—Danvers and Wenham. Legal voters, 1,092. One representative.
- XII.—Peabody. Legal voters, 961. One representative.
- XIII.—Salem, 1st Ward, 2d Ward and 3d Ward. Legal voters, 2,035. Two representatives.
- XIV.—Salem, 4th Ward and 6th Ward. Legal voters, 1,036. One representative.
- XV.—Marblehead and Salem, 5th Ward. Legal voters, 2,105. Two representatives.
- XVI.—Lynn, 4th Ward, and Nahant. Legal voters, 1,079. One representative.
- XVII.—Lynn, 2d and 5th Wards. Legal voters, 1,220. One representative.
- XVIII.—Lynn, 3d Ward, and Swampscott. Legal voters, 1,133. One representative.
- XIX.—Lynn, 1st Ward, 6th Ward and 7th Ward. Legal voters, 1,146. One representative.
- XX.—Saugus, Lynnfield, Middleton and Topsfield. Legal voters, 1,076. One representative.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY—*Forty-one Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Charlestown, 1st Ward. Legal voters, 1,421. One representative.
- II.—Charlestown, 2d Ward. Legal voters, 2,015. Two representatives.
- III.—Charlestown, 3d Ward. Legal voters, 2,160. Two representatives.
- IV.—Somerville, Malden and Everett. Legal voters, 3,020. Three representatives.
- V.—Medford. Legal voters, 1,031. One representative.

DISTRICT

- VI.—Arlington and Winchester. Legal voters, 822. One representative.
- VII.—Cambridge, 1st and 5th Wards. Legal voters, 1,247. One representative.
- VIII.—Cambridge, 2d and 4th Wards. Legal voters, 2,661. Three representatives.
- IX.—Cambridge, 3d Ward. Legal voters, 1,244. One representative.
- X.—Newton and Brighton. Legal voters, 2,249. Two representatives.
- XI.—Watertown and Belmont. Legal voters, 908. One representative.
- XII.—Waltham. Legal voters, 1,032. One representative.
- XIII.—Natick. Legal voters, 1,099. One representative.
- XIV.—Holliston and Sherborn. Legal voters, 939. One representative.
- XV.—Hopkinton and Ashland. Legal voters, 1,187. One representative.
- XVI.—Framingham. Legal voters, 887. One representative.
- XVII.—Marlborough. Legal voters, 849. One representative.
- XVIII.—Hudson, Stow (including that part of Maynard formerly belonging to Stow), Boxborough and Littleton. Legal voters, 904. One representative.
- XIX.—Acton, Sudbury (including that part of Maynard formerly belonging to Sudbury) and Wayland. Legal voters, 986. One representative.
- XX.—Concord, Littleton and Weston. Legal voters, 910. One representative.
- XXI.—Lexington, Bedford, Burlington and Carlisle. Legal voters, 803. One representative.
- XXII.—Woburn. Legal voters, 1,385. One representative.
- XXIII.—Stoneham, Wakefield and Melrose. Legal voters, 1,947. Two representatives.
- XXIV.—Reading, North Reading and Wilmington. Legal voters, 1,012. One representative.
- XXV.—Chelmsford, Billerica and Tewksbury. Legal voters, 1,054. One representative.
- XXVI.—Lowell, 1st Ward, 2d Ward and 6th Ward. Legal voters, 2,072. Two representatives.
- XXVII.—Lowell, 3d Ward. Legal voters, 836. One representative.
- XXVIII.—Lowell, 4th Ward. Legal voters, 1,174. One representative.
- XXIX.—Lowell, 5th Ward. Legal voters, 1,068. One representative.

DISTRICT

- XXX.—Dracut, Tyngsborough, Dunstable and Westford. Legal voters, 986. One representative.
- XXXI.—Groton, Pepperell and Ayer (except that part which formerly belonged to Shirley). Legal voters, 998. One representative.
- XXXII.—Townsend, Ashby and Shirley (including that part of Ayer formerly belonging to Shirley). Legal voters, 1,029. One representative.

WORCESTER COUNTY—*Thirty-one Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Ashburnham and Winchendon. Legal voters, 1,119. One representative.
- II.—Royalston and Athol. Legal voters, 1,031. One representative.
- III.—Gardner and Templeton. Legal voters, 1,114. One representative.
- IV.—Petersham, Dana, Phillipston, Hubbardston, Barre, Hardwick and New Braintree. Legal voters, 2,152. Two representatives.
- V.—Westminster, Fitchburg, Lunenburg and Leominster. Legal voters, 3,034. Three representatives.
- VI.—Lancaster, Bolton and Harvard. Legal voters, 996. One representative.
- VII.—Clinton, Berlin and Northborough. Legal voters, 1,058. One representative.
- VIII.—Sterling, West Boylston and Boylston. Legal voters, 1,020. One representative.
- IX.—Rutland, Holden, Princeton and Oakham. Legal voters, 1,088. One representative.
- X.—Worcester, 1st Ward, 2d Ward, 3d Ward, 8th Ward and Paxton. Legal voters, 2,983. Three representatives.
- XI.—Worcester, 4th Ward, 5th Ward, 6th Ward and 7th Ward. Legal voters, 3,053. Three representatives.
- XII.—Grafton and Shrewsbury. Legal voters, 1,104. One representative.
- XIII.—Westborough and Southborough. Legal voters, 882. One representative.
- XIV.—Northbridge and Upton. Legal voters, 993. One representative.
- XV.—Milford, Mendon, Blackstone and Uxbridge. Legal voters, 3,180. Three representatives.

DISTRICT

- XVI.—Douglas, Webster, Dudley, Oxford, Sutton and Millbury. Legal voters, 3,164. Three representatives.
- XVII.—Auburn, Leicester, Spencer, Charlton and Southbridge. Legal voters, 2,127. Two representatives.
- XVIII.—Sturbridge, Brookfield, North Brookfield, West Brookfield and Warren. Legal voters, 2,157. Two representatives.

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY—*Seven Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Easthampton, Huntington, Northampton, Southampton and Westhampton. Legal voters, 2,318. Two representatives.
- II.—Chesterfield, Cummington, Goshen, Middlefield, Plainfield and Worthington. Legal voters, 1,086. One representative.
- III.—Hadley, Hatfield and Williamsburg. Legal voters, 1,092. One representative.
- IV.—Amherst and South Hadley. Legal voters, 1,090. One representative.
- V.—Belchertown, Granby and Pelham. Legal voters, 1,022. One representative.
- VI.—Enfield, Greenwich, Prescott and Ware. Legal voters, 1,060. One representative.

HAMPDEN COUNTY—*Twelve Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Monson, Brimfield, Holland and Wales. Legal voters, 1,102. One representative.
- II.—Palmer and Wilbraham. Legal voters, 966. One representative.
- III.—Springfield, 1st Ward, 2d Ward and 3d Ward. Legal voters, 2,099. Two representatives.
- IV.—Springfield, 4th and 6th Wards. Legal voters, 858. One representative.
- V.—Springfield, 5th Ward, 7th Ward and 8th Ward. Legal voters, 1,281. One representative.
- VI.—Holyoke, Chicopee and Ludlow. Legal voters, 2,105. Two representatives.
- VII.—Granville, Southwick, Agawam, West Springfield and Longmeadow. Legal voters, 1,676. Two representatives.
- VIII.—Westfield. Legal voters, 1,326. One representative.
- IX.—Chester, Blandford, Montgomery, Russell and Tolland. Legal voters, 917. One representative.

FRANKLIN COUNTY—*Seven Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Warwick, Orange and New Salem. Legal voters, 1,008. One representative.
- II.—Montague, Sunderland, Leverett, Shutesbury and Wendell. Legal voters, 1,071. One representative.
- III.—Greenfield, Colrain, Leyden, Bernardston, Gill, Northfield and Erving. Legal voters, 2,098. Two representatives.
- IV.—Deerfield, Shelburne, Whately, Conway, Ashfield and Hawley. Legal voters, 2,059. Two representatives.
- V.—Buckland, Charlemont, Heath, Rowe and Monroe. Legal voters, 979. One representative.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY—*Ten Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Hancock, Lanesborough, New Ashford and Williamstown. Legal voters, 971. One representative.
- II.—Adams, Cheshire, Clarksburg, Florida and Savoy. Legal voters, 2,243. Two representatives.
- III.—Dalton, Pittsfield and Richmond. Legal voters, 1,923. Two representatives.
- IV.—Becket, Hinsdale, Peru, Washington and Windsor. Legal voters, 902. One representative.
- V.—Lenox, Stockbridge and West Stockbridge. Legal voters, 1,003. One representative.
- VI.—Lee, Monterey, Otis and Tyringham. Legal voters, 1,318. One representative.
- VII.—Alford, Egremont, Great Barrington and Mount Washington. Legal voters, 1,111. One representative.
- VIII.—New Marlborough, Sandisfield and Sheffield. Legal voters, 1,095. One representative.

NORFOLK COUNTY—(excluding Cohasset)—*Twenty one Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Dedham.* Legal voters, 1,268. One representative.
- II.—West Roxbury. Legal voters, 991. One representative.
- III.—Roxbury, 2d Ward, 3d Ward, 4th Ward and 5th Ward. Legal voters, 3,485. Three representatives.

[* The inhabitants of Hyde Park vote with Dorchester, Milton and Dedham. The inhabitants of that part of Norwood taken from Dedham vote in Norwood; those taken from Walpole vote in Walpole.]

DISTRICT.

- IV.—Roxbury, 1st Ward. Legal voters, 998. One representative.
- V.—Dorchester.* Legal voters, 1,860. Two representatives.
- VI.—Quincy. Legal voters, 1,276. One representative.
- VII.—Braintree. Legal voters, 777. One representative.
- VIII.—Weymouth. Legal voters, 1,843. Two representatives.
- IX.—Randolph and Holbrook. Legal voters, 1,261. One representative.
- X.—Stoughton. Legal voters, 1,020. One representative.
- XI.—Canton, Milton, Walpole (including that part of Walpole incorporated into the towns of Norfolk and Norwood) and Sharon. Legal voters, 1,812. Two representatives.
- XII.—Foxborough, Wrentham, Medway and Norfolk (excepting those parts of the town formerly belonging to Walpole and Franklin). Legal voters, 2,007. Two representatives.
- XIII.—Franklin (including the part of Franklin incorporated into the town of Norfolk) and Bellingham. Legal voters, 818. One representative.
- XIV.—Needham, Medfield and Dover. Legal voters, 855. One representative.
- XV.—Brookline. Legal voters, 761. One representative.

BRISTOL COUNTY.—*Eighteen Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Attleborough. Legal voters, 1,112. One representative.
- II.—Mansfield and Norton. Legal voters, 873. One representative.
- III.—Easton and Raynham. Legal voters, 987. One representative.
- IV.—Taunton. Legal voters, 3,086. Three representatives.
- V.—Seekonk, Rehoboth, Dighton and Berkley. Legal voters, 1,215. One representative.
- VI.—Somerset, Swansea and Freetown. Legal voters, 1,055. One representative.
- VII.—Fall River. Legal voters, 3,207. Three representatives.
- VIII.—Westport. Legal voters, 769. One representative.
- IX.—Dartmouth. Legal voters, 777. One representative.
- X.—New Bedford, 1st Ward, 2d Ward and 3d Ward. Legal voters, 2,463. Two representatives.
- XI.—New Bedford, 4th Ward, 5th Ward and 6th Ward. Legal voters, 2,082. Two representatives.
- XII.—Fairhaven and Acushnet. Legal voters, 950. One representative.

* See Note on preceding page.

PLYMOUTH COUNTY—(with Cohasset)—*Fifteen Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Cohasset and Scituate. Legal voters, 1,064. One representative.
- II.—Hingham and Hull. Legal voters, 931. One representative.
- III.—South Scituate, Hanover and Hanson. Legal voters, 1,166. One representative.
- IV.—Marshfield, Pembroke and Halifax. Legal voters, 1,029. One representative.
- V.—Duxbury and Kingston. Legal voters, 985. One representative.
- VI.—Plymouth, Carver and Plympton. Legal voters, 2,034. Two representatives.
- VII.—Wareham and Marion. Legal voters, 855. One representative.
- VIII.—Mattapoisett, Rochester and Lakeville. Legal voters, 987. One representative.
- IX.—Middleborough. Legal voters, 1,112. One representative.
- X.—Bridgewater and West Bridgewater. Legal voters, 1,910. One representative.
- XI.—East Bridgewater and Brockton. Legal voters, 2,120. Two representatives.
- XII.—Abington. Legal voters, 1,833. Two representatives.

BARNSTABLE COUNTY—*Eight Representatives.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Barnstable, Sandwich, Falmouth, Mashpee and Yarmouth. Legal voters, 3,238. Three representatives.
- II.—Dennis, Harwich and Brewster. Legal voters, 2,013. Two representatives.
- III.—Chatham and Orleans. Legal voters, 1,075. One representative.
- IV.—Eastham, Wellfleet, Truro and Provincetown. Legal voters, 2,006. Two representatives.

DUKES COUNTY—*One Representative.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Edgartown, Tisbury, Chilmark, Gay Head and Gosnold. Legal voters, 1,107. One representative.

NANTUCKET COUNTY—*One Representative.*

DISTRICT

- I.—Nantucket. Legal voters, 809. One representative.

VOTE FOR PRESIDENT, IN 1872.

| TOWNS. | Grant. | Greeley. | TOWNS. | Grant. | Greeley. |
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| BARNSTABLE CO. | | | BERKS.—Con. | | |
| Barnstable, | 343 | 63 | Washington, | 51 | 35 |
| Brewster, | 90 | 4 | W. Stockbridge, | 152 | 113 |
| Chatham, | 113 | 39 | Williamstown, | 308 | 143 |
| Dennis, | 203 | 23 | Windsor, | 81 | 41 |
| Eastham, | 65 | 12 | | | |
| Falmouth, | 270 | 20 | Totals, | 6,047 | 3,391 |
| Harwich, | 184 | 20 | | | |
| Mashpee, | 43 | - | BRISTOL CO. | | |
| Orleans, | 184 | 16 | Acushnet, | 122 | - |
| Provincetown, | 340 | 39 | Attleborough, | 621 | 114 |
| Sandwich, | 339 | 87 | Berkley, | 126 | 16 |
| Truro, | 93 | 2 | Dartmouth, | 293 | 9 |
| Wellfleet, | 226 | 17 | Dighton, | 252 | 20 |
| Yarmouth, | 210 | 11 | Easton, | 335 | 204 |
| | | | Fairhaven, | 289 | 48 |
| Totals, | 2,703 | 353 | Fall River, | 2,100 | 839 |
| BERKSHIRE CO. | | | Freetown, | 125 | 26 |
| Adams, | 1,218 | 342 | Mansfield, | 259 | 117 |
| Alford, | 35 | 43 | New Bedford, | 2,311 | 552 |
| Becket, | 116 | 76 | Norton, | 209 | 46 |
| Cheshire, | 174 | 69 | Raynham, | 176 | 18 |
| Clarksburg, | 92 | 10 | Rehoboth, | 206 | - |
| Dalton, | 110 | 92 | Seekonk, | 91 | 46 |
| Egremont, | 106 | 86 | Somerset, | 179 | 18 |
| Florida, | 73 | 15 | Swansea, | 105 | 16 |
| Gt. Barrington, | 443 | 219 | Taunton, | 1,944 | 509 |
| Hancock, | 80 | 23 | Westport, | 260 | 7 |
| Hinsdale, | 129 | 139 | | | |
| Lanesborough, | 171 | 67 | Totals, | 10,003 | 2,605 |
| Lee, | 407 | 178 | | | |
| Lenox, | 159 | 140 | DUKES CO. | | |
| Monterey, | 67 | 58 | Chilmark, | 51 | 24 |
| Mt. Washington, | 24 | 24 | Edgartown, | 249 | 40 |
| New Ashford, | 17 | 16 | Gay Head, | 16 | - |
| New Marlboro', | 191 | 149 | Gosnold, | 14 | - |
| Otis, | 65 | 66 | Tisbury, | 226 | 52 |
| Peru, | 70 | 20 | | | |
| Pittsfield, | 965 | 827 | Totals, | 556 | 116 |
| Richmond, | 62 | 41 | | | |
| Sandisfield, | 95 | 80 | ESSEX CO. | | |
| Savoy, | 91 | 22 | Amesbury, | 475 | 195 |
| Sheffield, | 227 | 147 | Andover, | 451 | 130 |
| Stockbridge, | 207 | 87 | Beverly, | 779 | 157 |
| Tyringham, | 61 | 23 | Boxford, | 109 | 22 |
| | | | Bradford, | 183 | 111 |

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| ESSEX—Con. | | | FRANKLIN—Con. | | |
| Danvers, . . . | 544 | 195 | Northfield, . . . | 167 | 57 |
| Essex, . . . | 205 | 68 | Orange, . . . | 407 | 61 |
| Georgetown, . . . | 257 | 107 | Rowe, . . . | 85 | 4 |
| Gloucester, . . . | 1,151 | 668 | Shelburne, . . . | 250 | 38 |
| Groveland, . . . | 194 | 92 | Shutesbury, . . . | 101 | 4 |
| Hamilton, . . . | 58 | 33 | Sunderland, . . . | 133 | 30 |
| Haverhill, . . . | 1,498 | 673 | Warwick, . . . | 110 | 54 |
| Ipswich, . . . | 322 | 185 | Wendell, . . . | 78 | 23 |
| Lawrence, . . . | 1,930 | 1,854 | Whately, . . . | 101 | 59 |
| Lynn, . . . | 2,778 | 1,395 | | | |
| Lynnfield, . . . | 71 | 9 | Totals, . . . | 4,335 | 1,030 |
| Manchester, . . . | 198 | 58 | | | |
| Marblehead, . . . | 745 | 641 | HAMPDEN CO. | | |
| Methuen, . . . | 362 | 191 | Agawam, . . . | 126 | 87 |
| Middleton, . . . | 91 | 44 | Blandford, . . . | 103 | 76 |
| Nahant, . . . | 41 | 22 | Brimfield, . . . | 128 | 74 |
| Newbury, . . . | 111 | 6 | Chester, . . . | 131 | 79 |
| Newburyport, . . . | 1,061 | 491 | Chicopee, . . . | 608 | 458 |
| North Andover, . . . | 215 | 117 | Granville, . . . | 104 | 57 |
| Peabody, . . . | 585 | 172 | Holland, . . . | 36 | 15 |
| Rockport, . . . | 478 | 176 | Holyoke, . . . | 552 | 509 |
| Rowley, . . . | 116 | 60 | Longmeadow, . . . | 146 | 46 |
| Salem, . . . | 2,189 | 811 | Ludlow, . . . | 112 | 21 |
| Salisbury, . . . | 423 | 105 | Monson, . . . | 291 | 125 |
| Saugus, . . . | 255 | 127 | Montgomery, . . . | 34 | 20 |
| Swampscott, . . . | 181 | 39 | Palmer, . . . | 268 | 159 |
| Topsfield, . . . | 133 | 31 | Russell, . . . | 53 | 36 |
| Wenham, . . . | 110 | 27 | Southwick, . . . | 113 | 101 |
| W. Newbury, . . . | 223 | 71 | Springfield, . . . | 2,502 | 1,447 |
| | | | Tolland, . . . | 43 | 38 |
| Totals, . . . | 18,522 | 9,083 | Wales, . . . | 125 | 31 |
| | | | Westfield, . . . | 701 | 530 |
| FRANKLIN CO. | | | W. Springfield, . . . | 210 | 115 |
| Ashfield, . . . | 173 | 47 | Wilbraham, . . . | 179 | 76 |
| Bernardston, . . . | 131 | 54 | | | |
| Buckland, . . . | 186 | 69 | Totals, . . . | 6,565 | 4,100 |
| Charlemont, . . . | 191 | 14 | | | |
| Colrain, . . . | 235 | 35 | HAMPSHIRE CO. | | |
| Conway, . . . | 174 | 33 | Amherst, . . . | 389 | 179 |
| Deerfield, . . . | 377 | 89 | Belchertown, . . . | 312 | 77 |
| Erving, . . . | 92 | 13 | Chesterfield, . . . | 125 | 25 |
| Gill, . . . | 100 | 15 | Cummington, . . . | 144 | 29 |
| Greenfield, . . . | 419 | 167 | Easthampton, . . . | 343 | 133 |
| Hawley, . . . | 100 | 5 | Enfield, . . . | 145 | 24 |
| Heath, . . . | 91 | 10 | Goshen, . . . | 57 | 2 |
| Leverett, . . . | 126 | 34 | Granby, . . . | 120 | 22 |
| Leyden, . . . | 48 | 39 | Greenwich, . . . | 76 | - |
| Monroe, . . . | 33 | - | Hadley, . . . | 250 | 41 |
| Montague, . . . | 289 | 51 | Hatfield, . . . | 134 | 15 |
| New Salem, . . . | 138 | 25 | Huntington, . . . | 112 | 56 |

| TOWNS. | Grant. | Greeley. | TOWNS. | Grant. | Greeley. |
|----------------------|--------|----------|-----------------------|--------|----------|
| HAMPS.—Con. | | | MIDD'SSEX—Con. | | |
| Middlefield, . | 70 | 12 | North Reading, . | 116 | 23 |
| Northampton, . | 1,013 | 481 | Pepperell, . | 241 | 64 |
| Pelham, . | 93 | 18 | Reading, . | 413 | 93 |
| Plainfield, . | 108 | — | Sherborn, . | 110 | 22 |
| Prescott, . | 60 | 12 | Shirley, . | 152 | 57 |
| South Hadley, . | 219 | 100 | Somerville, . | 1,169 | 593 |
| Southampton, . | 144 | 34 | Stoneham, . | 531 | 238 |
| Ware, . | 321 | 131 | Stow, . | 111 | 33 |
| Westhampton, . | 71 | 7 | Sudbury, . | 138 | 38 |
| Williamsburg, . | 271 | 153 | Tewksbury, . | 122 | 43 |
| Worthington, . | 130 | 32 | Townsend, . | 251 | 54 |
| Totals, . | 4,707 | 1,583 | Tyngsborough, . | 81 | 34 |
| MIDDLESEX CO. | | | Wakefield, . | 608 | 171 |
| Acton, . | 156 | 63 | Waltham, . | 873 | 613 |
| Arlington, . | 306 | 182 | Watertown, . | 395 | 164 |
| Ashby, . | 139 | 29 | Wayland, . | 170 | — |
| Ashland, . | 276 | 81 | Westford, . | 203 | 138 |
| Ayer, . | 172 | 95 | Weston, . | 158 | 13 |
| Bedford, . | 106 | 26 | Wilmington, . | 93 | 17 |
| Belmont, . | 134 | 71 | Winchester, . | 305 | 142 |
| Billerica, . | 245 | 53 | Woburn, . | 782 | 603 |
| Boxborough, . | 37 | 33 | Totals, . | 26,570 | 12,434 |
| Brighton, . | 348 | 345 | NANTUCKET CO. | | |
| Burlington, . | 44 | 47 | Nantucket, . | 316 | 22 |
| Cambridge, . | 3,289 | 1,753 | NORFOLK CO. | | |
| Carlisle, . | 80 | 20 | Bellingham, . | 148 | 17 |
| Charlestown, . | 3,014 | 1,635 | Braintree, . | 386 | 346 |
| Chelmsford, . | 232 | 62 | Brookline, . | 563 | 241 |
| Concord, . | 272 | 72 | Canton, . | 313 | 210 |
| Dracut, . | 192 | 68 | Cohasset, . | 241 | 57 |
| Dunstable, . | 41 | 26 | Dedham, . | 445 | 262 |
| Everett, . | 291 | 101 | Dover, . | 72 | 27 |
| Framingham, . | 486 | 138 | Foxborough, . | 339 | 51 |
| Groton, . | 252 | 1 | Franklin, . | 315 | 107 |
| Holliston, . | 367 | 143 | Holbrook, . | 234 | 60 |
| Hopkinton, . | 348 | 312 | Hyde Park, . | 482 | 263 |
| Hudson, . | 249 | 89 | Medfield, . | 118 | 45 |
| Lexington, . | 220 | 79 | Medway, . | 356 | 89 |
| Lincoln, . | 91 | 9 | Milton, . | 252 | 81 |
| Littleton, . | 130 | 10 | Needham, . | 347 | 116 |
| Lowell, . | 3,465 | 1,673 | Norfolk, . | 111 | 17 |
| Malden, . | 752 | 243 | Norwood, . | 185 | 54 |
| Marlborough, . | 664 | 533 | Quincy, . | 831 | 354 |
| Maynard, . | 145 | 26 | Randolph, . | 314 | 348 |
| Medford, . | 673 | 365 | Sharon, . | 141 | 56 |
| Melrose, . | 377 | 164 | Stoughton, . | 376 | 276 |
| Natick, . | 683 | 449 | Walpole, . | 250 | 106 |
| Newton, . | 1,272 | 285 | | | |

| TOWNS. | Grant. | Greeley. | TOWNS. | Grant. | Greeley. |
|-----------------------|--------|----------|----------------------|--------|----------|
| NORFOLK—Con. | | | WOR'STER—Con. | | |
| W. Roxbury, . . . | 703 | 518 | Brookfield, . . . | 320 | 132 |
| Weymouth, . . . | 802 | 383 | Charlton, . . . | 200 | 34 |
| Wrentham, . . . | 202 | 59 | Clinton, . . . | 524 | 293 |
| Totals, . . . | 8,526 | 4,142 | Dana, . . . | 94 | 7 |
| PLYMOUTH CO. | | | Douglas, . . . | 146 | 86 |
| Abington, . . . | 1,119 | 360 | Dudley, . . . | 112 | 144 |
| Bridgewater, . . . | 255 | 106 | Fitchburg, . . . | 1,284 | 429 |
| Carver, . . . | 84 | 42 | Gardner, . . . | 404 | 95 |
| Duxbury, . . . | 259 | 73 | Grafton, . . . | 341 | 78 |
| E. Bridgewater, . . . | 307 | 120 | Hardwick, . . . | 152 | 67 |
| Halifax, . . . | 84 | 27 | Harvard, . . . | 130 | 76 |
| Hanover, . . . | 184 | 28 | Holden, . . . | 225 | - |
| Hanson, . . . | 124 | 28 | Hubbardston, . . . | 168 | 42 |
| Hingham, . . . | 431 | 129 | Lancaster, . . . | 220 | 31 |
| Hull, . . . | 30 | 2 | Leicester, . . . | 269 | 31 |
| Kingston, . . . | 176 | 79 | Leominster, . . . | 698 | 123 |
| Lakeville, . . . | 100 | 12 | Lunenburg, . . . | 167 | 16 |
| Marion, . . . | 131 | 22 | Mendon, . . . | 89 | 50 |
| Marshfield, . . . | 159 | 7 | Milford, . . . | 755 | 492 |
| Mattapoisett, . . . | 228 | 9 | Millbury, . . . | 378 | 146 |
| Middleborough, . . . | 418 | 122 | New Braintree, . . . | 89 | 17 |
| N. Bridgewater, . . . | 1,070 | 272 | Northborough, . . . | 202 | 55 |
| Pembroke, . . . | 130 | - | Northbridge, . . . | 310 | 165 |
| Plymouth, . . . | 730 | 265 | N. Brookfield, . . . | 405 | 170 |
| Plympton, . . . | 72 | 59 | Oakham, . . . | 100 | 20 |
| Rochester, . . . | 150 | 4 | Oxford, . . . | 243 | 112 |
| Scituate, . . . | 244 | 112 | Paxton, . . . | 92 | 25 |
| South Scituate, . . . | 164 | 28 | Petersham, . . . | 147 | 38 |
| Wareham, . . . | 207 | 65 | Phillipston, . . . | 113 | 3 |
| W. Bridgewater, . . . | 156 | 37 | Princeton, . . . | 130 | 35 |
| Totals, . . . | 7,012 | 2,013 | Royalston, . . . | 200 | 4 |
| SUFFOLK CO. | | | Rutland, . . . | 117 | 22 |
| Boston, . . . | 15,710 | 10,428 | Shrewsbury, . . . | 204 | 35 |
| Chelsea, . . . | 1,907 | 674 | Southborough, . . . | 196 | 9 |
| Revere, . . . | 96 | 49 | Southbridge, . . . | 316 | 162 |
| Winthrop, . . . | 53 | 19 | Spencer, . . . | 380 | 71 |
| Totals, . . . | 17,766 | 11,170 | Sterling, . . . | 247 | 37 |
| WORCESTER CO. | | | Sturbridge, . . . | 184 | - |
| Ashburnham, . . . | 263 | 67 | Sutton, . . . | 184 | 39 |
| Athol, . . . | 532 | 109 | Templeton, . . . | 292 | 60 |
| Auburn, . . . | 91 | 18 | Upton, . . . | 245 | 58 |
| Barre, . . . | 259 | 77 | Uxbridge, . . . | 223 | 139 |
| Berlin, . . . | 143 | 12 | Warren, . . . | 269 | 123 |
| Blackstone, . . . | 273 | 282 | Webster, . . . | 348 | 274 |
| Bolton, . . . | 220 | 45 | Westborough, . . . | 467 | 88 |
| Boylston, . . . | 122 | - | W. Boylston, . . . | 300 | 40 |
| | | | W. Brookfield, . . . | 196 | 79 |
| | | | Westminster, . . . | 245 | 69 |
| | | | Winchendon, . . . | 438 | 72 |
| | | | Worcester, . . . | 4,366 | 2,145 |
| | | | Totals, . . . | 19,827 | 7,153 |

POPULATION OF THE UNITED STATES—1870.

| STATES AND TERRITORIES. | Total Population. | Native born. | Foreign born. |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| STATES. | | | |
| Alabama, | 996,992 | 987,030 | 9,962 |
| Arkansas, | 484,471 | 479,445 | 5,026 |
| California, | 560,247 | 350,416 | 209,831 |
| Connecticut, | 537,454 | 423,815 | 113,639 |
| Delaware, | 125,015 | 115,879 | 9,136 |
| Florida, | 187,748 | 182,781 | 4,967 |
| Georgia, | 1,184,109 | 1,172,982 | 11,127 |
| Illinois, | 2,539,891 | 2,024,693 | 515,198 |
| Indiana, | 1,680,637 | 1,539,163 | 141,474 |
| Iowa, | 1,191,792 | 987,735 | 204,057 |
| Kansas, | 364,399 | 316,007 | 48,392 |
| Kentucky, | 1,321,011 | 1,257,613 | 63,398 |
| Louisiana, | 726,915 | 665,088 | 61,827 |
| Maine, | 626,915 | 578,034 | 48,881 |
| Maryland, | 780,894 | 697,482 | 83,412 |
| Massachusetts, | 1,457,351 | 1,104,032 | 353,319 |
| Michigan, | 1,184,059 | 916,049 | 268,010 |
| Minnesota, | 439,706 | 275,009 | 160,697 |
| Mississippi, | 827,922 | 816,732 | 11,191 |
| Missouri, | 1,721,295 | 1,499,021 | 222,267 |
| Nebraska, | 122,993 | 92,245 | 30,748 |
| Nevada, | 42,491 | 23,690 | 18,801 |
| New Hampshire, | 318,300 | 288,689 | 29,611 |
| New Jersey, | 906,096 | 717,153 | 188,943 |
| New York, | 4,382,759 | 3,244,406 | 1,138,353 |
| North Carolina, | 1,071,361 | 1,068,332 | 3,029 |
| Ohio, | 2,665,260 | 2,292,767 | 372,493 |
| Oregon, | 90,923 | 79,323 | 11,600 |
| Pennsylvania, | 3,521,791 | 2,976,530 | 545,261 |
| Rhode Island, | 217,353 | 161,957 | 55,396 |
| South Carolina, | 705,606 | 697,522 | 8,074 |
| Tennessee, | 1,258,520 | 1,239,204 | 19,316 |
| Texas, | 818,579 | 756,168 | 62,411 |
| Vermont, | 330,551 | 283,396 | 47,155 |
| Virginia, | 1,225,163 | 1,211,409 | 13,754 |
| West Virginia, | 442,014 | 424,923 | 17,091 |
| Wisconsin, | 1,054,670 | 690,171 | 364,499 |
| Total States, | 38,113,253 | 32,640,907 | 5,472,346 |
| TERRITORIES. | | | |
| Arizona, | 9,658 | 3,849 | 5,809 |
| Colorado, | 39,864 | 33,265 | 6,599 |
| Dakota, | 14,181 | 9,366 | 4,815 |
| District of Columbia, | 131,700 | 115,446 | 16,254 |

| STATES AND TERRITORIES. | Total Population. | Native born. | Foreign born. |
|-------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| TERRITORIES—Concluded. | | | |
| Idaho, | 14,999 | 7,114 | 7,885 |
| Montana, | 20,595 | 12,616 | 7,979 |
| New Mexico, | 91,874 | 86,254 | 5,620 |
| Utah, | 86,786 | 56,084 | 30,702 |
| Washington, | 23,955 | 18,931 | 5,024 |
| Wyoming, | 9,118 | 5,605 | 3,513 |
| Total Territories, | 442,130 | 348,530 | 94,200 |
| Total United States, . . . | 38,555,983 | 32,989,437 | 5,566,546 |

POPULAR VOTE FOR PRESIDENT, IN 1872.

| STATES. | GRANT. | GREELEY. | Repub. Majority. | Demo. Majority. |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|---------------------|--------------------|
| Alabama, | 90,272 | 79,444 | 10,828 | - |
| Arkansas, | 41,373 | 37,927 | 3,446 | - |
| California, | 54,020 | 40,718 | 13,302 | - |
| Connecticut, | 50,638 | 45,880 | 4,758 | - |
| Delaware, | 11,115 | 10,206 | 909 | - |
| Florida, | 17,763 | 15,427 | 2,336 | - |
| Georgia, | 62,550 | 76,356 | - | 13,806 |
| Illinois, | 241,944 | 184,938 | 57,006 | - |
| Indiana, | 186,147 | 163,632 | 22,515 | - |
| Iowa, | 131,566 | 71,196 | 60,370 | - |
| Kansas, | 67,048 | 32,970 | 34,078 | - |
| Kentucky, | 88,766 | 99,995 | - | 11,229 |
| Louisiana, | 71,663 | 57,029 | 14,634 | - |
| Maine, | 61,422 | 29,087 | 32,335 | - |
| Maryland, | 66,760 | 67,687 | - | 927 |
| Massachusetts, | 133,472 | 59,260 | 74,212 | - |
| Michigan, | 138,455 | 78,355 | 60,100 | - |
| Minnesota, | 55,117 | 34,423 | 20,694 | - |
| Mississippi, | 82,175 | 47,258 | 34,887 | - |
| Missouri, | 119,196 | 151,434 | - | 32,238 |
| Nebraska, | 18,329 | 7,812 | 10,517 | - |
| Nevada, | 8,413 | 6,236 | 2,177 | - |
| New Hampshire, | 37,168 | 31,424 | 5,744 | - |
| New Jersey, | 91,656 | 76,456 | 15,200 | - |
| New York, | 440,736 | 387,281 | 53,455 | - |
| North Carolina, | 94,769 | 70,094 | 24,675 | - |
| Ohio, | 281,852 | 244,321 | 37,531 | - |
| Oregon, | 11,819 | 7,730 | 4,089 | - |
| Pennsylvania, | 349,589 | 212,041 | 137,548 | - |
| Rhode Island, | 13,665 | 5,329 | 8,336 | - |
| South Carolina, | 72,290 | 22,703 | 49,587 | - |
| Tennessee, | 85,655 | 94,391 | - | 8,736 |
| Texas, | 47,406 | 66,500 | - | 19,094 |
| Vermont, | 41,481 | 10,927 | 30,554 | - |
| Virginia, | 93,468 | 91,654 | 1,814 | - |
| West Virginia, | 32,315 | 29,451 | 2,864 | - |
| Wisconsin, | 104,997 | 86,477 | 18,520 | - |
| Total, | 3,597,070 | 2,834,079 | 849,021 | 86,030 |

A LIST

Of the Counties, Towns and Cities in the Commonwealth,
with the Census of Inhabitants in 1865 and 1870, and of
Legal Voters in 1865.

| COUNTIES AND TOWNS. | POPULATION. | | Voters in 1865. |
|-----------------------------|-------------|--------|--------------------|
| | 1865. | 1870. | |
| BARNSTABLE. | | | |
| Barnstable, | 4,928 | 4,793 | 1,113 |
| Brewster, | 1,456 | 1,259 | 311 |
| Chatham, | 2,624 | 2,411 | 641 |
| Dennis, | 3,592 | 3,269 | 872 |
| Eastham, | 757 | 668 | 204 |
| Falmouth, | 2,283 | 2,237 | 642 |
| Harwich, | 3,540 | 3,080 | 830 |
| Mashpee,* | - | 348 | - |
| Orleans, | 1,585 | 1,323 | 434 |
| Provincetown, | 3,472 | 3,865 | 828 |
| Sandwich, | 4,158 | 3,694 | 887 |
| Truro, | 1,447 | 1,269 | 367 |
| Wellfleet, | 2,206 | 2,135 | 612 |
| Yarmouth, | 2,472 | 2,423 | 593 |
| Totals, | 34,610 | 32,774 | 8,334 |
| BERKSHIRE. | | | |
| Adams, | 8,298 | 12,090 | 1,452 |
| Alford, | 461 | 430 | 112 |
| Becket, | 1,393 | 1,346 | 254 |
| Cheshire, | 1,650 | 1,758 | 317 |
| Clarksburg, | 530 | 686 | 86 |
| Dalton, | 1,137 | 1,252 | 233 |
| Egremont, | 928 | 931 | 207 |
| Florida, | 1,173 | 1,322 | 167 |
| Great Barrington, | 3,920 | 4,320 | 737 |
| Hancock, | 937 | 882 | 179 |
| Hinsdale, | 1,517 | 1,695 | 263 |
| Lanesborough, | 1,294 | 1,393 | 250 |
| Lee, | 4,035 | 3,866 | 768 |
| Lenox, | 1,660 | 1,965 | 363 |
| Monterey, | 737 | 653 | 178 |
| Mount Washington, | 237 | 256 | 55 |

* Incorporated May 28, 1870.

| COUNTIES AND TOWNS. | POPULATION. | | Voters in 1865. |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------|--------------------|
| | 1865. | 1870. | |
| BERKSHIRE— <i>Con.</i> | | | |
| New Ashford, | 178 | 208 | 42 |
| New Marlborough, | 1,649 | 1,855 | 307 |
| Otis, | 956 | 960 | 225 |
| Peru, | 494 | 455 | 97 |
| Pittsfield, | 9,676 | 11,112 | 1,529 |
| Richmond, | 944 | 1,091 | 161 |
| Sandisfield, | 1,411 | 1,482 | 308 |
| Savoy, | 866 | 861 | 221 |
| Sheffield, | 2,459 | 2,535 | 480 |
| Stockbridge, | 1,967 | 2,003 | 368 |
| Tyringham, | 650 | 557 | 147 |
| Washington, | 859 | 694 | 98 |
| West Stockbridge, | 1,620 | 1,924 | 272 |
| Williamstown, | 2,555 | 3,559 | 500 |
| Windsor, | 753 | 686 | 190 |
| Totals, | 56,944 | 64,826 | 10,566 |
| BRISTOL. | | | |
| Acushnet, | 1,251 | 1,132 | 286 |
| Attleborough, | 6,200 | 6,769 | 1,121 |
| Berkley, | 847 | 744 | 282 |
| Dartmouth, | 3,435 | 3,367 | 777 |
| Dighton, | 1,813 | 1,817 | 344 |
| Easton, | 3,076 | 3,668 | 601 |
| Fairhaven, | 2,547 | 2,626 | 664 |
| Fall River, | 17,481 | 26,766 | 3,207 |
| Freetown, | 1,485 | 1,372 | 353 |
| Mansfield, | 2,130 | 2,432 | 470 |
| New Bedford, | 20,853 | 21,320 | 4,545 |
| Norton, | 1,709 | 1,821 | 403 |
| Raynham, | 1,868 | 1,713 | 386 |
| Rehoboth, | 1,843 | 1,895 | 420 |
| Seekonk, | 928 | 1,021 | 223 |
| Somerset, | 1,789 | 1,776 | 385 |
| Swansea, | 1,336 | 1,294 | 312 |
| Taunton, | 16,005 | 18,629 | 3,086 |
| Westport, | 2,799 | 2,724 | 769 |
| Totals, | 89,395 | 102,886 | 18,576 |
| DUKES. | | | |
| Chilmark, | 548 | 476 | 154 |
| Edgartown, | 1,846 | 1,516 | 500 |
| Gay Head,* | - | 160 | - |
| Gosnold, | 108 | 99 | 25 |
| Tisbury, | 1,698 | 1,536 | 423 |
| Totals, | 4,200 | 3,787 | 1,107 |

* Incorporated April 30, 1870.

| COUNTIES AND TOWNS. | POPULATION. | | Voters in 1865. |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|--------------------|
| | 1865. | 1870. | |
| ESSEX. | | | |
| Amesbury, | 4,181 | 5,581 | 744 |
| Andover, | 5,314 | 4,873 | 804 |
| Beverly, | 5,942 | 6,507 | 1,436 |
| Boxford, | 868 | 847 | 196 |
| Bradford, | 1,566 | 2,014 | 374 |
| Danvers, | 5,144 | 5,600 | 858 |
| Essex, | 1,630 | 1,614 | 442 |
| Georgetown, | 1,926 | 2,088 | 414 |
| Gloucester, | 11,937 | 15,389 | 2,460 |
| Groveland, | 1,619 | 1,776 | 384 |
| Hamilton, | 799 | 790 | 187 |
| Haverhill, | 10,740 | 12,092 | 2,428 |
| Ipswich, | 3,311 | 3,720 | 732 |
| Lawrence, | 21,698 | 28,921 | 2,668 |
| Lynn, | 20,747 | 28,233 | 4,212 |
| Lynnfield, | 725 | 818 | 176 |
| Manchester, | 1,643 | 1,665 | 369 |
| Marblehead, | 7,308 | 7,703 | 1,675 |
| Methuen, | 2,576 | 2,959 | 579 |
| Middleton, | 922 | 1,010 | 167 |
| Nahant, | 313 | 475 | 66 |
| Newbury, | 1,362 | 1,430 | 343 |
| Newburyport, | 12,976 | 12,595 | 2,636 |
| North Andover, | 2,622 | 2,549 | 436 |
| Peabody,* | 6,051 | 7,343 | 961 |
| Rockport, | 3,367 | 3,904 | 915 |
| Rowley, | 1,191 | 1,157 | 270 |
| Salem, | 21,189 | 24,117 | 3,501 |
| Salisbury, | 3,609 | 3,776 | 887 |
| Saugus, | 2,006 | 2,247 | 426 |
| Swampscott, | 1,535 | 1,846 | 300 |
| Topsfield, | 1,212 | 1,213 | 307 |
| Wenham, | 918 | 985 | 234 |
| West Newbury, | 2,087 | 2,006 | 485 |
| Totals, | 171,034 | 200,843 | 33,072 |
| FRANKLIN. | | | |
| Ashfield, | 1,221 | 1,180 | 349 |
| Bernardston, | 902 | 961 | 197 |
| Buckland, | 1,922 | 1,946 | 387 |
| Charlemont, | 994 | 1,005 | 251 |
| Colrain, | 1,726 | 1,742 | 380 |
| Conway, | 1,538 | 1,460 | 320 |
| Deerfield, | 3,038 | 3,632 | 525 |
| Erving, | 576 | 579 | 122 |
| Gill, | 635 | 653 | 160 |

* Formerly South Danvers.

| COUNTIES AND TOWNS. | POPULATION. | | Voters in 1865. |
|-----------------------------|-------------|--------|--------------------|
| | 1865. | 1870. | |
| FRANKLIN— <i>Con.</i> | | | |
| Greenfield, | 3,211 | 3,589 | 705 |
| Hawley, | 687 | 672 | 178 |
| Heath, | 642 | 613 | 161 |
| Leverett, | 914 | 877 | 215 |
| Leyden, | 592 | 518 | 133 |
| Monroe, | 191 | 201 | 50 |
| Montague, | 1,574 | 2,224 | 327 |
| New Salem, | 1,116 | 987 | 277 |
| Northfield, | 1,660 | 1,720 | 401 |
| Orange, | 1,909 | 2,091 | 502 |
| Rowe, | 563 | 581 | 130 |
| Shelburne, | 1,564 | 1,582 | 339 |
| Shutesbury, | 788 | 614 | 162 |
| Sunderland, | 861 | 832 | 211 |
| Warwick, | 901 | 769 | 229 |
| Wendell, | 603 | 539 | 156 |
| Whately, | 1,012 | 1,068 | 250 |
| Totals, | 31,340 | 32,635 | 7,117 |
| HAMPDEN. | | | |
| Agawam, | 1,664 | 2,001 | 346 |
| Blandford, | 1,087 | 1,020 | 324 |
| Brimfield, | 1,316 | 1,288 | 309 |
| Chester, | 1,266 | 1,253 | 279 |
| Chicopee, | 7,577 | 9,607 | 1,086 |
| Granville, | 1,367 | 1,293 | 328 |
| Holland, | 368 | 344 | 88 |
| Holyoke, | 5,648 | 10,733 | 747 |
| Longmeadow, | 1,480 | 1,342 | 335 |
| Ludlow, | 1,232 | 1,136 | 272 |
| Monson, | 3,272 | 3,204 | 541 |
| Montgomery, | 353 | 318 | 92 |
| Palmer, | 3,080 | 3,631 | 524 |
| Russell, | 618 | 635 | 120 |
| Southwick, | 1,155 | 1,100 | 289 |
| Springfield, | 22,035 | 26,703 | 4,238 |
| Tolland, | 511 | 509 | 102 |
| Wales, | 696 | 831 | 164 |
| Westfield, | 5,634 | 6,519 | 1,336 |
| West Springfield, | 2,100 | 2,606 | 378 |
| Wilbraham, | 2,111 | 2,330 | 442 |
| Totals, | 64,570 | 78,409 | 12,330 |

| COUNTIES AND TOWNS. | POPULATION. | | Voters in 1865. |
|-------------------------|-------------|--------|--------------------|
| | 1865. | 1870. | |
| HAMPSHIRE. | | | |
| Amherst, | 3,415 | 4,035 | 728 |
| Belchertown, | 2,636 | 2,423 | 607 |
| Chesterfield, | 801 | 811 | 223 |
| Cummington, | 980 | 1,037 | 332 |
| Easthampton, | 2,869 | 3,620 | 363 |
| Enfield, | 997 | 1,023 | 242 |
| Goshen, | 411 | 368 | 95 |
| Granby, | 908 | 863 | 232 |
| Greenwich, | 648 | 665 | 147 |
| Hadley, | 2,246 | 2,301 | 427 |
| Hatfield, | 1,405 | 1,594 | 249 |
| Huntington, | 1,163 | 1,156 | 232 |
| Middlefield, | 727 | 728 | 123 |
| Northampton, | 7,925 | 10,160 | 1,300 |
| Pelham, | 737 | 673 | 183 |
| Plainfield, | 579 | 521 | 170 |
| Prescott, | 596 | 541 | 142 |
| South Hadley, | 2,099 | 2,840 | 362 |
| Southampton, | 1,216 | 1,159 | 282 |
| Ware, | 3,374 | 4,257 | 529 |
| Westhampton, | 636 | 587 | 141 |
| Williamsburg, | 1,976 | 2,159 | 416 |
| Worthington, | 925 | 860 | 243 |
| Totals, | 39,269 | 44,388 | 7,668 |
| MIDDLESEX. | | | |
| Acton, | 1,660 | 1,593 | 395 |
| Arlington, | 2,760 | 3,261 | 471 |
| Ashby, | 1,080 | 994 | 276 |
| Ashland, | 1,072 | 2,186 | 363 |
| Bedford, | 820 | 849 | 156 |
| Belmont, | 1,279 | 1,513 | 218 |
| Billerica, | 1,808 | 1,833 | 392 |
| Boxborough, | 454 | 338 | 102 |
| Brighton, | 3,859 | 4,967 | 658 |
| Burlington, | 594 | 626 | 140 |
| Cambridge, | 29,112 | 39,634 | 5,152 |
| Carlisle, | 642 | 569 | 122 |
| Charlestown, | 26,399 | 28,323 | 5,596 |
| Chelmsford, | 2,291 | 2,374 | 416 |
| Concord, | 2,232 | 2,412 | 486 |
| Dracut, | 1,905 | 2,078 | 401 |
| Dunstable, | 533 | 471 | 128 |
| Everett,* | - | 2,220 | - |
| Framingham, | 4,665 | 4,968 | 887 |
| Groton, | 3,176 | 3,584 | 619 |
| Holliston, | 3,125 | 3,073 | 694 |
| Hopkinton, | 4,132 | 4,419 | 824 |

* Incorporated March 9, 1870.

| COUNTIES AND TOWNS. | POPULATION. | | Voters in 1865. |
|--------------------------|-------------|---------|--------------------|
| | 1865. | 1870. | |
| MIDDLESEX— <i>Con.</i> | | | |
| Hudson,* | — | 3,389 | — |
| Lexington, | 2,210 | 2,277 | 385 |
| Lincoln, | 711 | 791 | 137 |
| Littleton, | 976 | 983 | 204 |
| Lowell, | 30,990 | 40,928 | 5,150 |
| Malden,† | 6,840 | 7,367 | 1,353 |
| Marlborough, | 7,164 | 8,474 | 1,182 |
| Medford, | 4,839 | 5,717 | 1,031 |
| Melrose, | 2,865 | 3,414 | 567 |
| Natick, | 5,208 | 6,404 | 1,099 |
| Newton, | 8,975 | 12,825 | 1,591 |
| North Reading, | 987 | 942 | 241 |
| Pepperell, | 1,709 | 1,842 | 379 |
| Reading, | 2,436 | 2,664 | 567 |
| Sherborn, | 1,048 | 1,062 | 245 |
| Shirley, | 1,217 | 1,451 | 272 |
| Somerville, | 9,353 | 14,685 | 1,667 |
| Stoncham, | 3,298 | 4,513 | 737 |
| Stow, | 1,537 | 1,813 | 265 |
| Sudbury, | 1,703 | 2,091 | 323 |
| Tewksbury, | 1,801 | 1,944 | 246 |
| Townsend, | 2,042 | 1,962 | 481 |
| Tyngsborough, | 578 | 629 | 132 |
| Wakefield,† | 3,244 | 4,135 | 643 |
| Waltham, | 6,896 | 9,065 | 1,032 |
| Watertown, | 3,779 | 4,326 | 690 |
| Wayland, | 1,137 | 1,240 | 268 |
| Westford, | 1,568 | 1,803 | 325 |
| Weston, | 1,231 | 1,261 | 287 |
| Wilmington, | 850 | 866 | 204 |
| Winchester, | 1,968 | 2,645 | 351 |
| Woburn, | 6,999 | 8,560 | 1,385 |
| Totals, | 220,384 | 274,353 | 41,935 |
| NANTUCKET. | | | |
| Nantucket, | 4,748 | 4,123 | 809 |
| NORFOLK. | | | |
| Bellingham, | 1,240 | 1,282 | 271 |
| Braintree, | 3,725 | 3,948 | 777 |
| Brookline, | 5,262 | 6,650 | 761 |
| Canton, | 3,318 | 3,879 | 573 |
| Cohasset, | 2,048 | 2,130 | 492 |
| Dedham, | 7,195 | 7,342 | 1,268 |

* Incorporated March 19, 1866.

† Town divided in 1870.

‡ Formerly South Reading.

| COUNTIES AND TOWNS. | POPULATION. | | Voters in 1865. |
|------------------------------|-------------|--------|--------------------|
| | 1865. | 1870. | |
| NORFOLK—Con. | | | |
| Dorchester,* | 10,717 | — | 1,860 |
| Dover, | 616 | 645 | 136 |
| Foxborough, | 2,778 | 3,057 | 592 |
| Franklin, | 2,510 | 2,562 | 548 |
| Hyde Park,† | — | 4,136 | — |
| Medfield, | 1,012 | 1,142 | 224 |
| Medway, | 3,219 | 3,721 | 707 |
| Milton, | 2,770 | 2,683 | 486 |
| Needham, | 2,793 | 3,607 | 495 |
| Norfolk,† | — | 1,081 | — |
| Quincy, | 6,718 | 7,442 | 1,276 |
| Randolph, | 5,734 | 5,642 | 1,261 |
| Roxbury,* | 28,426 | — | 4,483 |
| Sharon, | 1,393 | 1,508 | 285 |
| Stoughton, | 4,855 | 4,914 | 1,020 |
| Walpole, | 2,018 | 2,137 | 468 |
| West Roxbury, | 6,912 | 8,683 | 991 |
| Weymouth, | 7,975 | 9,010 | 1,843 |
| Wrentham, | 3,072 | 2,292 | 708 |
| Totals, | 116,306 | 89,443 | 21,525 |
| PLYMOUTH. | | | |
| Abington, | 8,576 | 9,308 | 1,833 |
| Bridgewater, | 4,196 | 3,660 | 629 |
| Carver, | 1,059 | 1,092 | 260 |
| Duxbury, | 2,384 | 2,341 | 631 |
| East Bridgewater, | 2,976 | 3,017 | 758 |
| Halifax, | 722 | 619 | 210 |
| Hanover, | 1,545 | 1,628 | 414 |
| Hanson, | 1,196 | 1,219 | 329 |
| Hingham, | 4,176 | 4,422 | 865 |
| Hull, | 260 | 261 | 66 |
| Kingston, | 1,626 | 1,604 | 354 |
| Lakeville, | 1,110 | 1,159 | 312 |
| Marion, | 960 | 896 | 245 |
| Marshfield, | 1,809 | 1,659 | 452 |
| Mattapoisett, | 1,451 | 1,361 | 375 |
| Middleborough, | 4,565 | 4,687 | 1,112 |
| North Bridgewater, | 6,332 | 8,007 | 1,362 |
| Pembroke, | 1,489 | 1,447 | 367 |
| Plymouth, | 6,068 | 6,238 | 1,539 |
| Plympton, | 924 | 804 | 235 |
| Rochester, | 1,156 | 1,024 | 300 |
| Scituate, | 2,269 | 2,350 | 572 |
| South Scituate, | 1,635 | 1,661 | 423 |

* In 1870, a part of Boston.

† Incorporated April 22, 1868.

‡ Incorporated Feb. 23, 1870.

| COUNTIES AND TOWNS. | POPULATION. | | Voters in 1865. |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------|--------------------|
| | 1865. | 1870. | |
| PLYMOUTH— <i>Con.</i> | | | |
| Wareham, | 2,798 | 3,008 | 610 |
| West Bridgewater, | 1,825 | 1,803 | 390 |
| Totals, | 63,107 | 65,365 | 14,643 |
| SUFFOLK. | | | |
| Boston, | 192,318 | 250,526 | 33,890 |
| Chelsea, | 14,403 | 18,547 | 2,502 |
| Revere,* | 858 | 1,197 | 188 |
| Winthrop, | 633 | 532 | 140 |
| Totals, | 208,212 | 270,802 | 36,720 |
| WORCESTER. | | | |
| Ashburnham, | 2,153 | 2,172 | 500 |
| Athol, | 2,814 | 3,517 | 703 |
| Auburn, | 959 | 1,178 | 144 |
| Barre, | 2,856 | 2,572 | 683 |
| Berlin, | 1,061 | 1,016 | 229 |
| Blackstone, | 4,857 | 5,421 | 799 |
| Bolton, | 1,502 | 1,014 | 331 |
| Boylston, | 792 | 800 | 194 |
| Brookfield, | 2,101 | 2,527 | 496 |
| Charlton, | 1,925 | 1,878 | 429 |
| Clinton, | 4,021 | 5,429 | 518 |
| Dana, | 789 | 758 | 193 |
| Douglas, | 2,155 | 2,182 | 413 |
| Dudley, | 2,076 | 2,388 | 289 |
| Fitchburg, | 8,118 | 11,260 | 1,514 |
| Gardner, | 2,553 | 3,333 | 507 |
| Grafton, | 3,961 | 4,594 | 751 |
| Hardwick, | 1,967 | 2,219 | 338 |
| Harvard, | 1,355 | 1,341 | 342 |
| Holden, | 1,846 | 2,062 | 358 |
| Hubbardston, | 1,546 | 1,654 | 344 |
| Lancaster, | 1,752 | 1,845 | 323 |
| Leicester, | 2,527 | 2,768 | 479 |
| Leominster, | 3,313 | 3,894 | 854 |
| Lunenburg, | 1,167 | 1,121 | 282 |
| Mendon, | 1,207 | 1,175 | 263 |
| Milford, | 9,108 | 9,890 | 1,186 |
| Millbury, | 3,780 | 4,397 | 618 |
| New Braintree, | 752 | 640 | 139 |
| Northborough, | 1,623 | 1,504 | 311 |
| Northbridge, | 2,642 | 3,774 | 512 |
| North Brookfield, | 2,514 | 3,343 | 500 |

* Name changed from North Chelsea in 1871.

| COUNTIES AND TOWNS. | POPULATION. | | Voters in 1865. |
|----------------------------|-------------|---------|--------------------|
| | 1865. | 1870. | |
| WORCESTER— <i>Con.</i> | | | |
| Oakham, | 925 | 860 | 219 |
| Oxford, | 2,713 | 2,669 | 516 |
| Paxton, | 626 | 646 | 156 |
| Petersham, | 1,428 | 1,335 | 305 |
| Phillipston, | 725 | 693 | 150 |
| Princeton, | 1,239 | 1,279 | 277 |
| Royalston, | 1,441 | 1,354 | 328 |
| Rutland, | 1,011 | 1,024 | 234 |
| Shrewsbury, | 1,570 | 1,610 | 353 |
| Southborough, | 1,750 | 2,135 | 338 |
| Southbridge, | 4,131 | 5,208 | 546 |
| Spencer, | 3,024 | 3,952 | 529 |
| Sterling, | 1,668 | 1,670 | 404 |
| Sturbridge, | 1,993 | 2,101 | 425 |
| Sutton, | 2,363 | 2,699 | 513 |
| Templeton, | 2,390 | 2,802 | 607 |
| Upton, | 2,018 | 1,989 | 481 |
| Uxbridge, | 2,838 | 3,058 | 457 |
| Warren, | 2,180 | 2,625 | 442 |
| Webster, | 3,608 | 4,763 | 815 |
| Westborough, | 3,141 | 3,601 | 544 |
| West Boylston, | 2,294 | 2,862 | 422 |
| West Brookfield, | 1,549 | 1,842 | 294 |
| Westminster, | 1,639 | 1,770 | 384 |
| Winchendon, | 2,801 | 3,398 | 619 |
| Worcester, | 30,055 | 41,105 | 5,880 |
| Totals, | 162,912 | 192,716 | 31,780 |

RECAPITULATION.

| COUNTIES. | No. of Towns. | POPULATION. | | Voters in 1865. |
|---------------------|---------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------|
| | | 1865. | 1870. | |
| Barnstable, | 14 | 34,610 | 32,774 | 8,334 |
| Berkshire, | 31 | 56,944 | 64,826 | 10,566 |
| Bristol, | 19 | 89,395 | 102,886 | 18,576 |
| Dukes, | 5 | 4,200 | 3,787 | 1,101 |
| Essex, | 34 | 171,034 | 200,843 | 33,072 |
| Franklin, | 26 | 31,340 | 32,635 | 7,117 |
| Hampden, | 21 | 64,570 | 78,409 | 12,330 |
| Hampshire, | 23 | 39,269 | 44,388 | 7,668 |
| Middlesex, | 54 | 220,384 | 274,353 | 41,935 |
| Nantucket, | 1 | 4,748 | 4,123 | 809 |
| Norfolk, | 25 | 116,306 | 89,443 | 21,525 |
| Plymouth, | 25 | 63,107 | 65,365 | 14,643 |
| Suffolk, | 4 | 208,212 | 270,802 | 36,720 |
| Worcester, | 58 | 162,912 | 192,718 | 31,780 |
| Totals, | 340 | 1,267,031 | 1,457,352 | 246,182 |

VALUATION OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

ESTABLISHED BY CHAPTER 259 OF THE ACTS OF 1872.*

BARNSTABLE COUNTY.

| TOWNS. | Polls. | Property. | Tax of \$1,000 includ. Polls at half a mill each. |
|-----------------------|--------|-----------------|--|
| Barnstable, | 1,138 | \$2,880,361 14 | \$2 09 |
| Brewster, | 295 | 800,893 33 | 57 |
| Chatham, | 613 | 1,025,358 39 | 85 |
| Dennis, | 829 | 1,521,982 74 | 1 22 |
| Eastham, | 178 | 233,874 22 | 21 |
| Falmouth, | 650 | 1,293,695 74 | 1 01 |
| Harwich, | 827 | 1,083,774 41 | 99 |
| Mashpee, | 69 | 94,845 87 | 08 |
| Orleans, | 404 | 568,979 20 | 50 |
| Provincetown, | 1,056 | 2,102,071 83 | 1 64 |
| Sandwich, | 810 | 1,444,517 43 | 1 17 |
| Truro, | 347 | 298,893 69 | 33 |
| Wellfleet, | 583 | 855,929 09 | 74 |
| Yarmouth, | 579 | 1,610,171 50 | 1 14 |
| Total, | 8,378 | \$15,815,348 58 | \$12 54 |

BERKSHIRE COUNTY.

| | | | |
|---------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|
| Adams, | 2,900 | \$6,679,320 34 | \$4 98 |
| Alford, | 120 | 311,989 33 | 22 |
| Becket, | 357 | 490,644 00 | 44 |
| Cheshire, | 445 | 881,121 33 | 69 |
| Clarksburg, | 153 | 247,442 66 | 21 |
| Dalton, | 307 | 1,113,828 70 | 74 |
| Egremont, | 248 | 579,198 41 | 43 |
| Florida, | 330 | 206,957 00 | 27 |
| Great Barrington, | 1,102 | 4,963,402 75 | 3 17 |
| Hancock, | 178 | 495,515 29 | 35 |
| Hinsdale, | 458 | 883,906 68 | 70 |

* This schedule constitutes the basis of apportionment for State and County taxes until the year 1882, unless hereafter changed by law.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

| TOWNS. | Polls. | Property. | Tax of \$1,000 includ. Polls at half a mill each. |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------------|--|
| Lanesborough, | 366 | \$765,788 33 | \$0 59 |
| Lee, | 920 | 1,725,051 50 | 1 37 |
| Lenox, | 504 | 1,492,673 83 | 1 04 |
| Monterey, | 186 | 308,160 16 | 26 |
| Mount Washington, | 62 | 99,381 00 | 08 |
| New Ashford, | 48 | 109,439 00 | 08 |
| New Marlborough, | 504 | 919,417 25 | 74 |
| Otis, | 252 | 325,529 00 | 30 |
| Peru, | 118 | 197,715 16 | 16 |
| Pittsfield, | 2,484 | 8,856,082 51 | 5 92 |
| Richmond, | 295 | 546,406 82 | 44 |
| Sandisfield, | 342 | 546,026 32 | 46 |
| Savoy, | 209 | 279,228 66 | 25 |
| Sheffield, | 538 | 1,367,702 91 | 99 |
| Stockbridge, | 462 | 2,659,644 32 | 1 64 |
| Tyringham, | 130 | 305,898 00 | 23 |
| Washington, | 156 | 290,378 50 | 23 |
| West Stockbridge, | 523 | 928,665 41 | 75 |
| Williamstown, | 689 | 1,718,937 65 | 1 25 |
| Windsor, | 193 | 314,619 66 | 26 |
| Total, | 15,579 | \$40,610,072 48 | \$29 24 |

BRISTOL COUNTY.

| | | | |
|-------------------------|--------|-----------------|---------|
| Acushnet, | 281 | \$682,324 06 | \$0 50 |
| Attleborough, | 1,285 | 2,987,311 91 | 2 22 |
| Berkley, | 196 | 327,809 65 | 27 |
| Dartmouth, | 793 | 2,340,476 23 | 1 63 |
| Dighton, | 458 | 867,692 24 | 69 |
| Easton, | 974 | 2,903,498 20 | 2 02 |
| Fairhaven, | 661 | 1,676,529 57 | 1 22 |
| Fall River, | 7,070 | 27,513,445 21 | 18 08 |
| Freetown, | 326 | 841,317 93 | 61 |
| Mansfield, | 587 | 884,314 40 | 76 |
| New Bedford, | 5,333 | 25,483,267 65 | 16 14 |
| Norton, | 429 | 827,559 67 | 65 |
| Raynham, | 444 | 1,177,491 29 | 84 |
| Rehoboth, | 441 | 803,565 74 | 65 |
| Seekonk, | 246 | 606,265 33 | 44 |
| Somerset, | 475 | 979,392 73 | 76 |
| Swansey, | 323 | 669,337 78 | 52 |
| Taunton, | 4,855 | 15,273,009 41 | 10 50 |
| Westport, | 662 | 1,526,683 63 | 1 14 |
| Total, | 25,839 | \$88,371,292 63 | \$59 64 |

COUNTY OF DUKES COUNTY.

| TOWNS. | Polls. | Property. | Tax of \$1,000 includ. Polls at half a mill each. |
|--------------------|--------|----------------|--|
| Chilmark, | 152 | \$327,835 56 | \$0 25 |
| Edgartown, | 480 | 1,205,113 77 | 88 |
| Gay Head, | 38 | 11,014 00 | 02 |
| Gosnold, | 26 | 162,514 00 | 10 |
| Tisbury, | 428 | 706,958 84 | 59 |
| Total, | 1,124 | \$2,413,436 17 | \$1 84 |

ESSEX COUNTY.

| | | | |
|------------------------|--------|------------------|----------|
| Amesbury, | 1,793 | \$2,331,694 62 | \$2 13 |
| Andover, | 1,019 | 3,406,297 79 | 2 31 |
| Beverly, | 1,872 | 5,849,009 33 | 4 03 |
| Boxford, | 235 | 817,822 79 | 55 |
| Bradford, | 530 | 1,103,752 84 | 85 |
| Danvers, | 1,298 | 2,927,161 51 | 2 20 |
| Essex, | 420 | 943,770 71 | 71 |
| Georgetown, | 582 | 868,536 58 | 75 |
| Gloucester, | 3,496 | 7,709,462 73 | 5 82 |
| Groveland, | 520 | 774,183 26 | 67 |
| Hamilton, | 198 | 536,020 22 | 38 |
| Haverhill, | 3,967 | 9,342,712 44 | 6 92 |
| Ipswich, | 815 | 1,762,137 86 | 1 34 |
| Lawrence, | 6,625 | 18,570,198 36 | 13 13 |
| Lynn, | 7,558 | 21,787,103 36 | 15 29 |
| Lynnfield, | 211 | 711,866 84 | 48 |
| Manchester, | 429 | 1,219,013 64 | 86 |
| Marblehead, | 2,152 | 3,388,539 78 | 2 87 |
| Methuen, | 904 | 1,987,472 13 | 1 50 |
| Middleton, | 235 | 445,943 46 | 35 |
| Nahant, | 138 | 5,565,328 53 | 3 01 |
| Newbury, | 290 | 882,549 55 | 61 |
| Newburyport, | 3,218 | 8,269,884 02 | 5 98 |
| North Andover, | 729 | 2,196,427 34 | 1 53 |
| Peabody, | 2,100 | 5,427,619 59 | 3 92 |
| Rockport, | 941 | 1,688,770 59 | 1 36 |
| Rowley, | 303 | 546,301 01 | 44 |
| Salem, | 5,558 | 25,382,251 19 | 16 19 |
| Salisbury, | 966 | 1,903,012 04 | 1 49 |
| Saugus, | 512 | 1,488,852 07 | 1 04 |
| Swampscott, | 541 | 2,104,515 38 | 1 38 |
| Topsfield, | 321 | 755,450 34 | 56 |
| Wenham, | 240 | 504,944 95 | 39 |
| West Newbury, | 518 | 1,129,092 87 | 86 |
| Total, | 51,234 | \$144,327,699 78 | \$101 90 |

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

| TOWNS. | Polls. | Property. | Tax of \$1,000 includ. Polls at half a mill each. |
|----------------------|--------|-----------------|--|
| Ashfield, | 332 | \$558,337 62 | \$0 46 |
| Bernardston, | 238 | 478,234 80 | 37 |
| Buckland, | 523 | 602,238 16 | 58 |
| Charlemont, | 251 | 397,298 44 | 34 |
| Colrain, | 366 | 729,502 68 | 57 |
| Conway, | 377 | 869,061 87 | 65 |
| Deerfield, | 837 | 1,464,055 28 | 1 19 |
| Erving, | 211 | 260,911 42 | 24 |
| Gill, | 194 | 481,482 11 | 35 |
| Greenfield, | 888 | 2,475,857 02 | 1 75 |
| Hawley, | 172 | 171,115 66 | 18 |
| Heath, | 155 | 312,175 72 | 24 |
| Leverett, | 235 | 370,054 70 | 31 |
| Leyden, | 109 | 251,343 33 | 19 |
| Monroe, | 49 | 63,609 96 | 06 |
| Montague, | 698 | 1,007,781 91 | 88 |
| New Salem, | 262 | 349,997 66 | 32 |
| Northfield, | 456 | 789,612 10 | 65 |
| Orange, | 785 | 1,122,926 29 | 99 |
| Rowe, | 158 | 184,585 28 | 18 |
| Shelburne, | 374 | 1,066,305 18 | 75 |
| Shutesbury, | 160 | 209,984 00 | 19 |
| Sunderland, | 206 | 465,132 06 | 35 |
| Warwick, | 232 | 258,329 35 | 25 |
| Wendell, | 145 | 206,909 42 | 18 |
| Whately, | 310 | 802,511 69 | 58 |
| Total, | 8,729 | \$15,949,353 71 | \$12 80 |

HAMPDEN COUNTY.

| | | | |
|---------------------|-------|--------------|--------|
| Agawam, | 483 | \$965,323 95 | \$0 75 |
| Blandford, | 278 | 536,872 12 | 42 |
| Brimfield, | 313 | 717,093 08 | 54 |
| Chester, | 350 | 496,540 46 | 44 |
| Chicopee, | 2,387 | 4,379,262 85 | 3 51 |
| Granville, | 338 | 480,283 41 | 42 |
| Holland, | 94 | 146,605 88 | 12 |
| Holyoke, | 2,811 | 6,261,712 49 | 4 72 |
| Longmeadow, | 356 | 1,209,609 84 | 82 |
| Ludlow, | 258 | 485,955 30 | 39 |
| Monson, | 672 | 1,393,765 94 | 1 07 |
| Montgomery, | 93 | 158,231 00 | 13 |
| Palmer, | 818 | 1,412,195 71 | 1 16 |
| Russell, | 163 | 283,149 66 | 23 |
| Southwick, | 292 | 729,392 87 | 53 |

HAMPDEN COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

| TOWNS. | Polls. | Property. | Tax of \$1,000 includ. Polls at half a mill each. |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------------|--|
| Springfield, | 7,140 | \$29,500,151 56 | \$19 16 |
| Tolland, | 134 | 302,583 66 | 23 |
| Wales, | 222 | 373,372 12 | 31 |
| Westfield, | 1,997 | 5,163,347 03 | 3 73 |
| West Springfield, | 688 | 2,161,000 48 | 1 49 |
| Wilbraham, | 554 | 883,278 57 | 74 |
| Total, | 20,441 | \$58,039,727 97 | \$40 91 |

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY.

| | | | |
|-----------------------|--------|-----------------|---------|
| Amherst, | 935 | \$3,324,202 76 | \$2 22 |
| Belchertown, | 584 | 1,132,103 19 | 89 |
| Chesterfield, | 233 | 405,371 16 | 33 |
| Cummington, | 255 | 391,155 65 | 33 |
| Easthampton, | 773 | 2,955,277 21 | 1 95 |
| Enfield, | 310 | 716,497 09 | 53 |
| Goshen, | 96 | 150,824 50 | 13 |
| Granby, | 236 | 546,724 41 | 41 |
| Greenwich, | 193 | 306,966 73 | 26 |
| Hadley, | 616 | 1,480,119 87 | 1 09 |
| Hatfield, | 426 | 1,617,664 78 | 1 07 |
| Huntington, | 278 | 562,987 01 | 44 |
| Middlefield, | 180 | 425,139 66 | 31 |
| Northampton, | 2,403 | 7,349,272 04 | 5 09 |
| Pelham, | 167 | 203,607 00 | 19 |
| Plainfield, | 158 | 278,990 75 | 23 |
| Prescott, | 139 | 217,396 88 | 18 |
| South Hadley, | 665 | 1,960,330 07 | 1 37 |
| Southampton, | 296 | 588,242 98 | 46 |
| Ware, | 892 | 1,759,527 89 | 1 38 |
| Westhampton, | 127 | 443,460 82 | 30 |
| Williamsburg, | 604 | 1,535,881 73 | 1 11 |
| Worthington, | 240 | 373,670 88 | 32 |
| Total, | 10,806 | \$28,725,415 06 | \$20 59 |

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

| | | | |
|--------------------|-----|----------------|--------|
| Acton, | 486 | \$1,037,827 04 | \$0 79 |
| Arlington, | 869 | 3,968,954 00 | 2 53 |
| Ashby, | 298 | 538,289 02 | 43 |
| Ashland, | 685 | 1,149,051 92 | 95 |
| Ayer, | 492 | 897,098 96 | 72 |
| Bedford, | 228 | 555,862 26 | 41 |
| Belmont, | 436 | 2,617,009 39 | 1 60 |

MIDDLESEX COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

| TOWNS. | Polls. | Property. | Tax of \$1,000 includ. Polls at half a mill each. |
|------------------------|--------|------------------|--|
| Billerica, | 485 | \$1,565,065 74 | \$1 07 |
| Boxborough, | 105 | 267,586 66 | 19 |
| Brighton, | 1,331 | 7,137,224 78 | 4 44 |
| Burlington, | 201 | 474,776 95 | 35 |
| Cambridge, | 10,323 | 45,646,076 22 | 29 29 |
| Carlisle, | 154 | 373,391 29 | 27 |
| Charlestown, | 8,271 | 28,314,873 65 | 19 10 |
| Chelmsford, | 600 | 1,764,033 18 | 1 23 |
| Concord, | 645 | 2,364,666 82 | 1 57 |
| Dracut, | 523 | 1,391,920 72 | 1 00 |
| Dunstable, | 137 | 326,185 22 | 24 |
| Everett, | 654 | 2,107,796 48 | 1 44 |
| Framingham, | 1,244 | 3,897,847 34 | 2 68 |
| Groton, | 465 | 1,743,460 03 | 1 15 |
| Holliston, | 856 | 1,857,291 57 | 1 41 |
| Hopkinton, | 1,099 | 2,079,868 55 | 1 65 |
| Hudson, | 915 | 1,296,966 72 | 1 14 |
| Lexington, | 625 | 2,249,651 27 | 1 50 |
| Lincoln, | 239 | 700,779 78 | 49 |
| Littleton, | 248 | 755,331 16 | 52 |
| Lowell, | 9,186 | 27,811,128 12 | 19 29 |
| Malden, | 1,945 | 6,372,237 44 | 4 34 |
| Marlborough, | 2,320 | 2,699,682 30 | 2 59 |
| Maynard, | 522 | 916,118 50 | 75 |
| Medford, | 1,530 | 6,263,456 43 | 4 08 |
| Melrose, | 881 | 2,627,733 75 | 1 83 |
| Natick, | 1,863 | 2,932,489 58 | 2 48 |
| Newton, | 3,199 | 19,244,632 61 | 11 77 |
| North Reading, | 263 | 531,633 64 | 41 |
| Pepperell, | 526 | 1,171,801 73 | 88 |
| Reading, | 759 | 1,702,763 48 | 1 28 |
| Sherborn, | 267 | 984,136 41 | 65 |
| Shirley, | 341 | 927,209 84 | 66 |
| Somerville, | 3,832 | 13,372,478 79 | 8 98 |
| Stonham, | 1,390 | 2,104,304 51 | 1 81 |
| Stow, | 296 | 777,846 50 | 56 |
| Sudbury, | 330 | 1,035,945 50 | 71 |
| Tewksbury, | 317 | 984,172 58 | 68 |
| Townsend, | 611 | 766,804 31 | 71 |
| Tyngsborough, | 175 | 316,817 86 | 25 |
| Wakefield, | 1,438 | 2,969,802 34 | 2 29 |
| Waltham, | 2,368 | 8,021,324 14 | 5 42 |
| Watertown, | 1,150 | 4,907,134 30 | 3 17 |
| Wayland, | 360 | 703,298 23 | 55 |
| Westford, | 534 | 1,063,516 64 | 83 |
| Weston, | 342 | 1,327,178 64 | 87 |
| Wilmington, | 231 | 513,090 74 | 39 |
| Winchester, | 772 | 3,398,370 13 | 2 18 |
| Woburn, | 2,527 | 7,564,366 26 | 5 26 |
| Total, | 72,889 | \$241,090,362 02 | \$163 83 |

NANTUCKET COUNTY.

| TOWNS. | Polls. | Property. | Tax of \$1,000 includ. Polls at half a mill each. |
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| Nantucket, | 923 | \$2,357,831 09 | \$1 71 |
| Total, | 923 | \$2,357,831 09 | \$1 71 |

NORFOLK COUNTY.

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|-----------------------|--------|-----------------|---------|
| Bellingham, | 344 | \$515,725 93 | \$0 44 |
| Braintree, | 1,092 | 2,186,788 92 | 1 70 |
| Brookline, | 1,522 | 21,501,469 85 | 12 13 |
| Canton, | 947 | 2,786,565 18 | 1 95 |
| Cohasset, | 558 | 1,937,175 89 | 1 30 |
| Dedham, | 1,355 | 4,829,464 96 | 3 23 |
| Dover, | 167 | 409,896 21 | 30 |
| Foxborough, | 708 | 1,505,935 49 | 1 15 |
| Franklin, | 620 | 1,582,983 09 | 1 15 |
| Holbrook, | 425 | 1,216,276 87 | 86 |
| Hyde Park, | 1,507 | 4,898,294 61 | 3 34 |
| Medfield, | 296 | 848,688 81 | 60 |
| Medway, | 905 | 1,666,371 47 | 1 33 |
| Milton, | 657 | 5,452,958 68 | 3 21 |
| Needham, | 976 | 3,031,378 55 | 2 09 |
| Norfolk, | 270 | 474,490 49 | 39 |
| Norwood, | 466 | 1,188,850 41 | 86 |
| Quincy, | 1,847 | 4,929,735 34 | 3 53 |
| Randolph, | 1,102 | 1,929,429 19 | 1 57 |
| Sharon, | 371 | 822,389 80 | 62 |
| Stoughton, | 1,191 | 2,434,962 24 | 1 88 |
| Walpole, | 532 | 1,352,977 46 | 98 |
| West Roxbury, | 2,310 | 15,368,478 81 | 9 28 |
| Weymouth, | 2,510 | 5,173,496 62 | 3 99 |
| Wrentham, | 546 | 1,166,231 73 | 89 |
| Total, | 23,224 | \$89,211,016 65 | \$58 77 |

PLYMOUTH COUNTY.

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|---------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|
| Abington, | 2,619 | \$4,220,356 81 | \$3 54 |
| Bridgewater, | 852 | 2,391,899 09 | 1 69 |
| Carver, | 279 | 602,417 89 | 46 |
| Duxbury, | 680 | 1,180,932 56 | 96 |
| East Bridgewater, | 827 | 1,245,410 31 | 1 07 |
| Halifax, | 184 | 337,558 21 | 27 |
| Hanover, | 440 | 1,002,267 23 | 75 |
| Hanson, | 367 | 502,514 51 | 45 |

PLYMOUTH COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

| TOWNS. | Polls. | Property. | Tax of \$1,000 includ. Polls at half a mill each. |
|------------------------------|--------|-----------------|--|
| Hingham, | 1,208 | \$3,246,673 86 | \$2 32 |
| Hull, | 73 | 258,880 98 | 17 |
| Kingston, | 425 | 1,428,795 16 | 97 |
| Lakeville, | 318 | 572,712 25 | 46 |
| Marion, | 237 | 485,308 23 | 37 |
| Marshfield, | 480 | 827,907 29 | 68 |
| Mattapoissett, | 358 | 602,126 13 | 50 |
| Middleborough, | 1,322 | 2,382,045 41 | 1 92 |
| North Bridgewater, | 2,294 | 3,516,509 83 | 3 01 |
| Pembroke, | 395 | 621,066 78 | 53 |
| Plymouth, | 1,443 | 3,828,322 31 | 2 74 |
| Plympton, | 215 | 310,922 34 | 27 |
| Rochester, | 301 | 508,534 97 | 42 |
| Scituate, | 663 | 1,093,852 80 | 91 |
| South Scituate, | 458 | 1,004,412 33 | 76 |
| Wareham, | 726 | 1,163,960 63 | 98 |
| W. Bridgewater, | 440 | 850,497 97 | 67 |
| Total, | 17,604 | \$34,185,885 88 | \$26 87 |

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

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|---------------------|--------|------------------|----------|
| Boston, | 61,148 | \$638,870,531 46 | \$368 24 |
| Chelsea, | 4,452 | 12,405,134 86 | 8 78 |
| Revere, | 343 | 1,016,113 29 | 71 |
| Winthrop, | 133 | 533,628 41 | 35 |
| Total, | 66,076 | \$652,825,408 02 | \$378 08 |

WORCESTER COUNTY.

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|-----------------------|-------|--------------|--------|
| Ashburnham, | 598 | \$970,764 72 | \$0 81 |
| Athol, | 1,045 | 2,093,389 54 | 1 63 |
| Auburn, | 257 | 532,348 99 | 41 |
| Barre, | 654 | 1,916,326 66 | 1 34 |
| Berlin, | 273 | 436,751 70 | 37 |
| Blackstone, | 1,112 | 2,301,719 56 | 1 77 |
| Bolton, | 286 | 578,263 34 | 45 |
| Boylston, | 198 | 556,767 68 | 39 |
| Brookfield, | 727 | 1,210,255 71 | 1 00 |
| Charlton, | 525 | 1,022,738 26 | 80 |
| Clinton, | 1,251 | 3,021,080 13 | 2 22 |
| Dana, | 202 | 273,117 33 | 25 |

WORCESTER COUNTY—CONCLUDED.

| TOWNS. | Polls. | Property. | Tax of \$1,000 includ. Polls at half a mill each. |
|---------------------------|--------|------------------|--|
| Douglas, | 598 | \$972,710 86 | \$0 81 |
| Dudley, | 601 | 996,905 48 | 83 |
| Fitchburg, | 3,317 | 11,283,337 05 | 7 62 |
| Gardner, | 968 | 1,753,531 67 | 1 41 |
| Grafton, | 1,006 | 1,901,027 53 | 1 51 |
| Hardwick, | 522 | 1,168,036 78 | 88 |
| Harvard, | 376 | 1,036,539 10 | 74 |
| Holden, | 482 | 934,992 56 | 74 |
| Hubbardston, | 439 | 881,670 88 | 69 |
| Lancaster, | 425 | 2,328,167 05 | 1 44 |
| Leicester, | 708 | 2,122,772 00 | 1 48 |
| Leominster, | 1,232 | 2,961,363 92 | 2 18 |
| Lunenburg, | 315 | 765,487 66 | 56 |
| Mendon, | 306 | 712,574 42 | 53 |
| Milford, | 2,662 | 4,932,915 45 | 3 94 |
| Millbury, | 1,050 | 1,958,885 07 | 1 56 |
| New Braintree, | 164 | 592,433 93 | 40 |
| Northborough, | 378 | 1,327,854 03 | 89 |
| Northbridge, | 817 | 1,936,368 26 | 1 43 |
| North Brookfield, | 1,109 | 1,620,848 18 | 1 41 |
| Oakham, | 231 | 370,521 56 | 31 |
| Oxford, | 718 | 1,310,451 73 | 1 05 |
| Paxton, | 198 | 326,809 33 | 27 |
| Petersham, | 310 | 770,893 62 | 56 |
| Phillipston, | 177 | 298,445 00 | 25 |
| Princeton, | 308 | 957,602 93 | 66 |
| Royalston, | 343 | 859,138 08 | 63 |
| Rutland, | 268 | 520,180 30 | 41 |
| Shrewsbury, | 452 | 1,104,404 99 | 81 |
| Southborough, | 513 | 1,391,240 48 | 99 |
| Southbridge, | 1,250 | 2,312,315 49 | 1 85 |
| Spencer, | 1,101 | 2,060,940 58 | 1 64 |
| Sterling, | 445 | 1,237,743 84 | 83 |
| Sturbridge, | 546 | 964,681 65 | 78 |
| Sutton, | 622 | 1,195,893 65 | 94 |
| Templeton, | 736 | 1,161,246 67 | 98 |
| Upton, | 529 | 841,077 61 | 71 |
| Uxbridge, | 707 | 1,862,082 21 | 1 34 |
| Warren, | 714 | 1,479,329 54 | 1 14 |
| Webster, | 1,201 | 2,216,306 08 | 1 77 |
| Westborough, | 968 | 1,981,057 26 | 1 53 |
| West Boylston, | 697 | 1,021,478 74 | 89 |
| West Brookfield, | 454 | 831,177 83 | 67 |
| Westminster, | 484 | 876,810 69 | 71 |
| Winchendon, | 1,027 | 1,892,527 00 | 1 51 |
| Worcester, | 11,638 | 37,263,867 13 | 25 51 |
| Total, | 51,240 | \$124,212,169 49 | \$91 28 |

TOWNS IN MASSACHUSETTS

WITH THE

POST-OFFICES THEREIN.

| Towns. | Post-Offices. | Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Abington</i> , . . | { Abington. North Abington. South Abington. | <i>Ashland</i> , . . | Ashland. |
| <i>Acton</i> , . . . | { Acton. South Acton. West Acton. Ellsworth. | <i>Athol</i> , . . . | { Athol. Athol Depot. South Athol. |
| <i>Acushnet</i> , . . | { Acushnet. Long Plain. | <i>Attleborough</i> , | { Attleborough. Attleboro' Falls. N. Attleborough. S. Attleborough. Hebronville. Dodgeville. |
| <i>Adams</i> , . . . | { Adams. North Adams. Blackinton. | <i>Auburn</i> , . . | Auburn. |
| <i>Agawam</i> , . . | { Agawam. Feeding Hills. | <i>Ayer</i> , . . . | Ayer. |
| <i>Alford</i> , . . . | Alford. | <i>Barnstable</i> , . | { Barnstable. West Barnstable. Centreville. Marston's Mills. Hyannis. Cotuit. Osterville. |
| <i>Amesbury</i> , . . | { Amesbury. South Amesbury. West Amesbury. | <i>Barre</i> , . . . | { Barre. Barre Plains. Smithville. Coldbrook Spr'gs. |
| <i>Amherst</i> , . . | { Amherst. North Amherst. South Amherst. | <i>Becket</i> , . . . | { Becket. North Becket. West Becket. |
| <i>Andover</i> , . . | { Andover. Ballard Vale. | <i>Bedford</i> , . . | Bedford. |
| <i>Arlington</i> , . | { Arlington. Arlingt'n Heights. | <i>Belchertown</i> , | Belchertown. |
| <i>Ashburnham</i> , | { Ashburnham. Ashburn'm Dep't. Burrageville. | <i>Bellingham</i> , . | { Bellingham. No. Bellingham. Caryville. |
| <i>Ashby</i> , . . . | Ashby. | <i>Belmont</i> , . . | { Belmont. Waverly. |
| <i>Ashfield</i> , . . | { Ashfield. South Ashfield, | | |

| Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Berkley</i> , . . | Berkley. |
| <i>Berlin</i> , . . . | { Berlin. West Berlin. |
| <i>Bernardston</i> , | Bernardston. |
| <i>Beverly</i> , . . . | { Beverly. Beverly Farms. North Beverly. |
| <i>Billerica</i> , . . . | { Billerica. North Billerica. |
| <i>Blackstone</i> , . . | { Blackstone. East Blackstone. Millville. |
| <i>Blandford</i> , . . | { Blandford. North Blandford. |
| <i>Bolton</i> , . . . | Bolton. |
| <i>Boston</i> , . . . | { Boston. South Boston. East Boston. Station A. Roxbury. West Roxbury.* Jamaica Plain.* Boylston Station.* Roslindale.* Brighton.* Allston.* |
| <i>Dorchester Station</i> , | { Dorchester. Mattapan. |
| <i>Charlestown Station</i> , | { Charlestown. |
| <i>Boxborough</i> , . | West Acton P. O. |
| <i>Boxford</i> , . . . | { Boxford. West Boxford. |
| <i>Boylston</i> , . . . | { Boylston. Boylston Centre. |
| <i>Bradford</i> , . . | Bradford. |
| <i>Braintree</i> , . . | { Braintree. South Braintree. |

| Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Brewster</i> , . . . | { Brewster. East Brewster. West Brewster. South Brewster. |
| <i>Bridgewater</i> , | { Bridgewater. Scotland. |
| <i>Brimfield</i> , . . | { Brimfield. East Brimfield. |
| <i>Brockton</i> , . . . | { Brockton. Campello. |
| <i>Brookfield</i> , | { Brookfield. East Brookfield. West Brookfield. |
| <i>Brookline</i> , . . | Brookline. |
| <i>Buckland</i> , . . | Buckland. |
| <i>Burlington</i> , . | Burlington. |
| <i>Cambridge</i> , . . | { Cambridge.† Cambridgeport.† No. Cambridge.† East Cambridge.† |
| <i>Canton</i> , . . . | { Canton. Punkapoag. |
| <i>Carlisle</i> , . . . | Carlisle. |
| <i>Carver</i> , . . . | { Carver. North Carver. South Carver. |
| <i>Charlemont</i> , . | { Charlemont. East Charlemont. Zoar. |
| <i>Charlton</i> , . . . | { Charlton. Charlton City. Charlton Depot. |
| <i>Chatham</i> , . . . | { Chatham. Chatham Port. North Chatham. South Chatham. West Chatham. |

* Postage, 3 cents.

† Sub-office to Boston.

| Towns. | Post-Offices. | Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Chelmsford</i> , . | { Chelmsford. No. Chelmsford. West Chelmsford. Middlesex Vill'ge. | <i>Dartmouth</i> , . | { Dartmouth. North Dartmouth. South Dartmouth. |
| <i>Chelsea</i> , . . | Chelsea Station.* | <i>Dedham</i> , . . | { Dedham. West Dedham. |
| <i>Cheshire</i> , . . | Cheshire. | <i>Deerfield</i> , . . | { Deerfield. South Deerfield. |
| <i>Chester</i> , . . | { Chester. Chester Centre. North Chester. | <i>Dennis</i> , . . | { Dennis. Dennis Port. East Dennis. South Dennis. West Dennis. |
| <i>Chesterfield</i> , . | { Chesterfield. West Chesterfield. | <i>Dighton</i> , . . | { Dighton. North Dighton. |
| <i>Chicopee</i> , . . | { Chicopee. Chicopee Falls. Willimanset. | <i>Douglas</i> , . . | { Douglas. East Douglas. |
| <i>Chilmark</i> , . . | { Chilmark. Gay Head. | <i>Dover</i> , . . . | { Dover. Chas. Riv. Village. |
| <i>Clarksburg</i> , . | { Clarksburg. (N. Adams P. O.) | <i>Dracut</i> , . . . | Dracut. |
| <i>Clinton</i> , . . | Clinton. | <i>Dudley</i> , . . | { Dudley. West Dudley. |
| <i>Cohasset</i> , . . | { Cohasset. North Cohasset. Beechwood. | <i>Dunstable</i> , . | Dunstable. |
| <i>Colrain</i> , . . | { Colrain. Adamsville. Elm Grove. Griswoldville. Shattucksville. | <i>Duxbury</i> , . . | { Duxbury. West Duxbury. South Duxbury. |
| <i>Concord</i> , . . | { Concord. Westvale. | <i>East Bridge-</i> <i>water</i> , . . | { Elmwood. E. Bridgewater. Mattfield. |
| <i>Conway</i> , . . | Conway. | <i>Eastham</i> , . . | { Eastham. North Eastham. |
| <i>Cummington</i> , . | { Cummington. Cummington W. Village. Swift River. | <i>Easthampt'n</i> , . | Easthampton. |
| <i>Dalton</i> , . . . | Dalton. | <i>Easton</i> , . . | { Easton. North Easton. South Easton. |
| <i>Dana</i> , . . . | { Dana. North Dana. | <i>Edgartown</i> , . | { Edgartown. Vineyard Grove. |
| <i>Danvers</i> , . . | { Danvers. Danvers Centre. Danvers Port. Tapleville. | <i>Egremont</i> , . . | { Egremont. North Egremont. South Egremont. |
| | | <i>Enfield</i> , . . | Enfield. |

* Postage, 2 cents.

| Towns. | Post-Offices. | Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Erving</i> , . . | Erving. | <i>Grafton</i> , . . | { Grafton. New Eng. Village. Saunderville. Farnumsville. |
| <i>Essex</i> , . . . | Essex. | <i>Granby</i> , . . | Granby. |
| <i>Everett</i> , . . . | Everett. | <i>Granville</i> , . . | { Granville Corner. East Granville. West Granville. |
| <i>Fairhaven</i> , . . | { Fairhaven. Acushnet. | <i>Great Bar-</i> | { Great Barrington. Housatonic. rington, . . { Van Dusen ville. |
| <i>Fall River</i> , . . | { Fall River. Steep Brook. | <i>Greenfield</i> , . . | { Greenfield. Factory Village. |
| <i>Falmouth</i> , . . | { Falmouth. East Falmouth. North Falmouth. West Falmouth. Wood's Hole. | <i>Greenwich</i> , . . | { Greenwich. Greenw'h Village. |
| <i>Fitchburg</i> , . . | { Fitchburg. West Fitchburg. | <i>Groton</i> , . . . | { Groton. West Groton. |
| <i>Florida</i> , . . . | { Florida. Hoosac Tunnel. | <i>Groveland</i> , . . | { Groveland. South Groveland. |
| <i>Foxborough</i> , . . | { Foxborough. East Foxborough. W. Foxborough. | <i>Hadley</i> , . . . | { Hadley. North Hadley. |
| <i>Framingh'm</i> , . . | { Framingham. S. Framingham. Saxonville. | <i>Halifax</i> , . . . | Halifax. |
| <i>Franklin</i> , . . . | { Franklin. Franklin City. South Franklin. | <i>Hamilton</i> , . . | Hamilton. |
| <i>Freetown</i> , . . . | { Freetown. East Freetown. | <i>Hancock</i> , . . . | Hancock. |
| <i>Gardner</i> , . . . | { Gardner. South Gardner. | <i>Hanover</i> , . . . | { Hanover. South Hanover. West Hanover. |
| <i>Georgetown</i> , . . | Georgetown. | <i>Hanson</i> , . . . | { Hanson. South Hanson. |
| <i>Gill</i> , | Gill. | <i>Hardwick</i> , . . | Hardwick. |
| <i>Gloucester</i> , . . | { Bay View. Gloucester. East Gloucester. West Gloucester. Lanesville. Annisquam. | <i>Harvard</i> , . . . | { Harvard. Still River. |
| <i>Goshen</i> , . . . | Goshen. | <i>Harwich</i> , . . . | { Harwich. Harwich Port. East Harwich. North Harwich. South Harwich. West Harwich. |
| <i>Gosnold</i> , . . . | { Gosnold. (Wood's Hole P. O.) | <i>Hatfield</i> , . . . | { Hatfield. North Hatfield. |

| Towns. | Post-Offices. | Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Haverhill</i> , . . . | { Haverhill. East Haverhill. Ayer's Village. | <i>Lawrence</i> , . . . | Lawrence. |
| <i>Hawley</i> , . . . | { Hawley. South Hawley. West Hawley. | <i>Lee</i> , | { Lee. East Lee. South Lee. |
| <i>Heath</i> , | Heath. | <i>Leicester</i> , . . . | { Leicester. Cherry Valley. Rochdale. |
| <i>Hingham</i> , . . . | { Hingham. Hingham Centre. South Hingham. | <i>Lenox</i> , | { Lenox. Lenox Furnace. New Lenox. |
| <i>Hinsdale</i> , . . . | Hinsdale. | <i>Leominster</i> , . . | { Leominster. No. Leominster. |
| <i>Holden</i> , . . . | { Holden. Jeffersonville. | <i>Leverett</i> , . . . | { Leverett. North Leverett. |
| <i>Holbrook</i> , . . . | Holbrook. | <i>Lexington</i> , . . | { Lexington. East Lexington. |
| <i>Holland</i> , . . . | Holland. | <i>Leyden</i> , . . . | Leyden. |
| <i>Holliston</i> , . . . | { Holliston. East Holliston. Braggville. | <i>Lincoln</i> , . . . | { Lincoln. South Lincoln. |
| <i>Holyoke</i> , . . . | { Holyoke. Ireland. | <i>Littleton</i> , . . . | Littleton. |
| <i>Hopkinton</i> , . . | { Hopkinton. Woodville. Hayden Row. | <i>Longmeadow</i> , { | Longmeadow. E. Longmeadow. |
| <i>Hubbardston</i> , . | Hubbardston. | <i>Lowell</i> , | Lowell. |
| <i>Hudson</i> , . . . | Hudson. | <i>Ludlow</i> , . . . | { Ludlow. Ludlow Centre. |
| <i>Hull</i> , | Hull. | <i>Lunenburg</i> , . . | Lunenburg. |
| <i>Huntington</i> , . . | { Huntington. Norwich. | <i>Lynn</i> , | Lynn. |
| <i>Hyde Park</i> , . . | { Hyde Park. Readville. | <i>Lynnfield</i> , . . | { Lynnfield. Lynnfield Centre. |
| <i>Ipswich</i> , . . . | Ipswich. | <i>Malden</i> , . . . | { Malden. Maplewood. Linden. |
| <i>Kingston</i> , . . . | Kingston. | <i>Manchester</i> , . . | Manchester. |
| <i>Lakeville</i> , . . . | Lakeville. | <i>Mansfield</i> , . . | { Mansfield. West Mansfield. |
| <i>Lancaster</i> , . . . | { Lancaster. South Lancaster. | <i>Marblehead</i> , . . | Marblehead. |
| <i>Lanesboro'</i> , . . | { Lanesborough. Berkshire. | <i>Marion</i> , . . . | Marion. |

| Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Marlborough</i> , | Marlborough. |
| <i>Marshfield</i> , | { Marshfield. North Marshfield. East Marshfield. |
| <i>Mattapoisett</i> , | Mattapoisett. |
| <i>Maynard</i> , | Maynard. |
| <i>Medfield</i> , | Medfield. |
| <i>Medford</i> , | { Medford. West Medford. College Hill. East Medford. |
| <i>Medway</i> , | { Medway. East Medway. West Medway. Rockville. |
| <i>Melrose</i> , | { Melrose. Melrose Highl'ds. |
| <i>Mendon</i> , | Mendon. |
| <i>Methuen</i> , | Methuen. |
| <i>Middleboro'</i> , | { Middleborough. E. Middleboro'. N. Middleboro'. S. Middleboro'. Rock. |
| <i>Middlefield</i> , | { Middlefield. Bancroft. |
| <i>Middleton</i> , | Middleton. |
| <i>Milford</i> , | { Milford. South Milford. Hopedale. |
| <i>Millbury</i> , | { Millbury. West Millbury. |
| <i>Milton</i> , | { Milton. East Milton. Blue Hill. |
| <i>Monroe</i> , | Monroe. |
| <i>Monson</i> , | Monson. |

| Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Montague</i> , | { Montague. Locks Village. Montague City. Turner's Falls. Miller's Falls. River Side. |
| <i>Monterey</i> , | Monterey. |
| <i>Montgomery</i> , | Montgomery. |
| <i>Mt. Washing't'n</i> , | Mt. Washington. |
| <i>Nahant</i> , | Nahant. |
| <i>Nantucket</i> , | { Nantucket. Siasconset. |
| <i>Natick</i> , | { Natick. South Natick. Cochituate. |
| <i>Needham</i> , | { Needham. Wellesley. Grantville. Highlandville. |
| <i>New Ashford</i> , | New Ashford. |
| <i>New Bedford</i> , | New Bedford. |
| <i>N. Braintree</i> , | New Braintree. |
| <i>N. Marlboro'</i> , | { New Marlboro'. Hartsville. Mill River. Southfield. |
| <i>New Salem</i> , | { Cooleyville. New Salem. No. New Salem. Millington. |
| <i>Newbury</i> , | { Newbury. Old Town. Byfield. South Byfield. |
| <i>Newburyport</i> , | Newburyport. |

| Towns. | Post-Offices. | Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| | { Newton. Newtonville. Auburndale. West Newton. Newton Centre. Newton L. Falls. Newton U. Falls. Chestnut Hill. Newton Highl'ds. | <i>Paxton</i> , . . . Paxton. | |
| <i>Newton</i> , . . . | | <i>Peabody</i> , . . . { Peabody. West Danvers. | |
| | | <i>Pelham</i> , . . . Pelham. | |
| <i>Norfolk</i> , . . . Norfolk. | | <i>Pembroke</i> , . . . { Pembroke. North Pembroke. East Pembroke. | |
| <i>N. Andover</i> , . . . { North Andover. N. Andover Dep't. | | <i>Pepperell</i> , . . . { Pepperell. East Pepperell. | |
| <i>N. Brookfield</i> , . . . North Brookfield. | | <i>Peru</i> , Peru. | |
| <i>N. Reading</i> , . . . North Reading. | | <i>Petersham</i> , . . . Petersham. | |
| | { Northampton. Florence. Leeds. Loudville. | <i>Phillipston</i> , . . . Phillipston. | |
| <i>Northampt'n</i> , . . . | | <i>Pittsfield</i> , . . . { Pittsfield. West Pittsfield. Coltsville. | |
| <i>Northboro'</i> , . . . Northborough. | | <i>Plainfield</i> , . . . Plainfield. | |
| <i>Northbridge</i> , . . . { Northbridge. N'thb'dge Centre. Whitinsville. | | <i>Plymouth</i> , . . . { Plymouth. South Plymouth. Chiltonville. North Plymouth. | |
| <i>Northfield</i> , . . . { Northfield. Northfield Farms. West Northfield. | | <i>Plympton</i> , . . . { Plympton. Plympton Station. North Plympton. | |
| <i>Norton</i> , { Norton. Barrowsville. | | <i>Prescott</i> , . . . { Prescott. North Prescott. | |
| <i>Norwood</i> , Norwood. | | | |
| <i>Oakham</i> , Oakham. | | | |
| <i>Orange</i> , { Orange. North Orange. | | <i>Princeton</i> , . . . { Princeton. East Princeton. Wachusett V'lage. Mt. Wachusett. | |
| <i>Orleans</i> , { Orleans. East Orleans. South Orleans. | | <i>Provincetown</i> , . . . Provincetown. | |
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| <i>Otis</i> , { Otis. East Otis. Cold Spring. | | <i>Quincy</i> , { Atlantic. Wollaston. Quincy. Quincy Point. West Quincy. | |
| <i>Oxford</i> , { Oxford. North Oxford. | | <i>Randolph</i> , . . . { Randolph. Brooksville. | |
| <i>Palmer</i> , { Palmer. Bond's Village. Thorndike. Three Rivers. | | <i>Raynham</i> , . . . { Raynham. North Raynham. | |

| Towns. | Post-Offices. | Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Reading</i> , . . | Reading. | <i>Savoy</i> , . . . | Savoy. |
| <i>Rehoboth</i> , . . | { Rehoboth. North Rehoboth. | <i>Scituate</i> , . . | { Scituate. Scituate Centre. North Scituate. |
| <i>Revere</i> , . . . | Revere. | <i>Seekonk</i> , . . | { Seekonk. (East Providence, R.I.) South Seekonk. |
| <i>Richmond</i> , . . | { Richmond. Rich'nd Furnace. | <i>Sharon</i> , . . | { Sharon. East Sharon. |
| <i>Rochester</i> , . . | { Rochester. North Rochester. | <i>Sheffield</i> , . . | { Sheffield. Ashley Falls. Clayton. |
| <i>Rockland</i> , . . | Rockland. | <i>Shelburne</i> , . . | { Bardwell's Ferry. Shelburne. Shelburne Falls. East Shelburne. |
| <i>Rockport</i> , . . | { Rockport. Pigeon Cove. | <i>Sherborn</i> , . . | Sherborn. |
| <i>Rowe</i> , . . . | Rowe. | <i>Shirley</i> , . . | { Shirley. Shirley Village. |
| <i>Rowley</i> , . . . | Rowley. | <i>Shrewsbury</i> , . | Shrewsbury. |
| <i>Royalston</i> , . . | { Royalston. South Royalston. | <i>Shutesbury</i> , . | Shutesbury. |
| <i>Russell</i> , . . . | Russell. | <i>Somerset</i> , . . | Somerset. |
| <i>Rutland</i> , . . | { Rutland. West Rutland. North Rutland. | <i>Somerville</i> , . . | { Somerville.* East Somerville.* No. Somerville. West Somerville. |
| <i>Salem</i> , . . . | Salem. | <i>So. Hadley</i> , . . | { South Hadley. S. Hadley Falls. |
| <i>Salisbury</i> , . . | { Salisbury. East Salisbury. | <i>So. Scituate</i> , . | { West Scituate. South Scituate. |
| <i>Sandisfield</i> , . . | { Sandisfield. New Boston. Montville. So. Sandisfield. | <i>Southampt'n</i> , . | Southampton. |
| <i>Sandwich</i> , . . | { Sandwich. East Sandwich. North Sandwich. South Sandwich. West Sandwich. Monument. Pocasset. Waquoit. Spring Hill. Hatchville. Mashpee. | <i>Southboro'</i> , . . | { Southborough. Cordaville. Fayville. |
| <i>Saugus</i> , . . . | { Saugus. Saugus Centre. Clifton Dale. | <i>Southbridge</i> , . | { Southbridge. Globe Village. |
| | | <i>Southwick</i> , . . | Southwick. |

* Sub-office to Boston.

| Towns. | Post-Offices. | Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Spencer</i> , . . | { Spencer. North Spencer. | <i>Tisbury</i> , . . | { Vineyard Haven. West Tisbury. North Tisbury. |
| <i>Springfield</i> , . | { Springfield. Indian Orchard. Ashley Falls. | <i>Tolland</i> , . . | Tolland. |
| <i>Sterling</i> , . . | { Sterling. West Sterling. Pratt's Junction. | <i>Topsfield</i> , . . | Topsfield. |
| <i>Stockbridge</i> , . | { Stockbridge. State Line. Glen Dale. Curtisville. | <i>Townsend</i> , . | { Townsend. Townsend Harb'r. West Townsend. |
| <i>Stoneham</i> , . . | Stoneham. | <i>Truro</i> , . . . | { Truro. North Truro. South Truro. |
| <i>Stoughton</i> , . | { Stoughton. East Stoughton. North Stoughton. | <i>Tyngsboro'</i> , . | Tyngsborough. |
| <i>Stow</i> , . . . | { Stow. Rock Bottom. | <i>Tyringham</i> , . | Tyringham. |
| <i>Sturbridge</i> , . | { Sturbridge. Fiskdale. | <i>Upton</i> , . . . | { Upton. West Upton. |
| <i>Sudbury</i> , . . | { Sudbury. South Sudbury. North Sudbury. | <i>Uxbridge</i> , . . | { Uxbridge. North Uxbridge. |
| <i>Sunderland</i> , . | Sunderland. | <i>Wakefield</i> , . | { Greenwood. Wakefield. |
| <i>Sutton</i> , . . . | { Sutton. West Sutton. Manchaug. Wilkinsonville. | <i>Wales</i> , . . . | Wales. |
| <i>Swampscott</i> , . | Swampscott. | <i>Walpole</i> , . . | { Walpole. East Walpole. South Walpole. |
| <i>Swansea</i> , . . | { Swansea. North Swansea. | <i>Waltham</i> , . . | Waltham. |
| <i>Taunton</i> , . . | { Taunton. East Taunton. Myricksville. | <i>Ware</i> , . . . | Ware. |
| <i>Templeton</i> , . | { Templeton. East Templeton. Baldwinsville. Otter River. | <i>Wareham</i> , . | { Wareham. East Wareham. West Wareham. Cohasset Narro's. |
| <i>Tewksbury</i> , . | Tewksbury. | <i>Warren</i> , . . | { Warren. West Warren. |
| | | <i>Warwick</i> , . . | Warwick. |
| | | <i>Washington</i> , . | Washington. |
| | | <i>Watertown</i> , . | { Watertown. Mount Auburn.* |
| | | <i>Wayland</i> , . . | Wayland. |

* Sub-office to Boston.

| Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Webster</i> , . . | Webster. |
| <i>Wellfleet</i> , . . | { Wellfleet. South Wellfleet. |
| <i>Wendell</i> , . . | { Wendell. Wendell Depot. |
| <i>Wenham</i> , . . | Wenham. |
| <i>W. Boylston</i> , . | { West Boylston. Oakdale. |
| <i>West Bridge-</i> <i>water</i> , . . | { Cochesset. W. Bridgewater. |
| <i>W. Brookfield</i> , | W. Brookfield. |
| <i>W. Newbury</i> , | West Newbury. |
| <i>West Spring-</i> <i>field</i> , . . . | { West Springfield. Ashleyville. Mittineague. Agawam. |
| <i>West Stock-</i> <i>bridge</i> , . . | { State Line. W. Stockbridge. West Stockbridge Centre. |
| <i>Westborough</i> , | Westborough. |
| <i>Westfield</i> , . . | Westfield. |
| <i>Westford</i> , . . | { Westford. Forge Village. Graniteville. |
| <i>Westhampt'n</i> , | Westhampton. |
| <i>Westminster</i> , . | { Westminster. Westmin'r Depot. So. Westminster. |
| <i>Weston</i> , . . | Weston. |
| <i>Westport</i> , . . | { Westport. Westport Point. South Westport. Central Village. Westport Harbor. |

| Towns. | Post-Offices. |
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| <i>Weymouth</i> , . | { Weymouth. East Weymouth. North Weymouth. South Weymouth. |
| <i>Whately</i> , . . | { Whately. East Whately. |
| <i>Wilbraham</i> , . | { Wilbraham. Collins Depot. So. Wilbraham. |
| <i>Williamsb'rg</i> , | { Williamsburg. Haydenville. |
| <i>Williamst'wn</i> , | { Williamstown. S. Williamstown. |
| <i>Wilmington</i> , . | { Wilmington. N. Wilmington. |
| <i>Winchendon</i> , | Winchendon. |
| <i>Winchester</i> , . | Winchester. |
| <i>Windsor</i> , . . | { Windsor. East Windsor. |
| <i>Winthrop</i> , . . | Wintbrop. |
| <i>Woburn</i> , . . | { Woburn. East Woburn. North Woburn. |
| <i>Worcester</i> , . | Worcester. |
| <i>Worthington</i> , | { Worthington. W. Worthington. Ringville. So. Worthington. |
| <i>Wrentham</i> , . | { Wrentham. W. Wrentham. Plainville. Sheldonville. |
| <i>Yarmouth</i> , . | { Yarmouth. Yarmouth Port. South Yarmouth. West Yarmouth. |

ABRIDGMENT OF THE U. S. POSTAL REGULATIONS.

*Arranged and prepared for the Manual by Omar Loring,
Superintendent of Money Order Division, Boston.*

LETTER POSTAGE to any part of the United States, including California and the Territories, without regard to distance, three cents per half ounce, or fraction thereof; must be prepaid in full, or at once sent to the Dead Letter Office, Washington.

All *drop letters* must be prepaid. The rate of postage on drop letters, at offices where free delivery by carrier is established, is two cents per half ounce, or fraction of a half ounce; at offices where such free delivery is *not* established, the rate is one cent.

TRANSIENT PRINTED MATTER (samples of merchandise, books and other printed matter), any number in one package, to one address, not exceeding four pounds in weight, one cent each two ounces, or fraction, prepaid, to any part of the United States or Territories. Double rate if unpaid. Proof Sheets same as above.

Only our own—domestic rates—to the line can be prepaid on *printed matter to the Canadas or the Provinces*, leaving the foreign postage to be collected on delivery.

Any writing other than the simple direction upon an article of printed matter, or the envelope thereof, subjects the entire package to letter postage, and it is the Postmaster's duty to examine such matter.

Circulars in one unsealed envelope, one cent each two ounces or fraction. A business card upon the envelope of a circular or other article of printed matter, does not increase the postage. Circulars for city delivery, one cent each.

Pamphlets, *book* manuscripts, maps, prints, engravings, blanks, letter envelopes, paper, in packages not exceeding four pounds in weight, one cent for each two ounces, or fraction.

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Seeds, cuttings, bulbs, roots and scions, and samples of merchandise, two cents each two ounces; not to exceed twelve ounces in weight, otherwise letter postage will be charged.

Letter postage to Great Britain, six cents per half ounce, prepaid. Unpaid, eleven cents; will be collected on delivery.

Our own domestic rates pay postage in full to delivery in Great Britain of printed matter, seeds, cuttings, bulbs and samples.

NEWSPAPER POSTAGE.—A new law went into effect January 1, 1875, by which publishers of newspapers and regular periodicals must prepay everything. For papers once a week and oftener, two cents per pound. Less frequently, three cents per pound.

Money Orders in sums not exceeding \$50 on one order will be issued on deposits with the Postmaster at any Money Order Offices, which are now established at nearly all the large cities and towns in the United States, and also in any part of Switzerland, Great Britain, Ireland and Germany. Fees on domestic orders, on sums not exceeding \$10, five cents; \$20, ten cents; over \$20 and not exceeding \$30, fifteen cents; over \$30 and not exceeding \$40, twenty cents; over \$40 and not exceeding \$50, twenty-five cents. The Money Order Offices in Massachusetts are Amherst, Andover, Ayer, Abington, Athol Depot, Boston, Bridgewater, Brighton, Barnstable, Barre, Brockton, Cambridge, Cambridgeport, Canton, Charlestown, Chelsea, Chicopee, Chicopee Falls, Clinton, Concord, Chatham, Cummington, Dedham, East Boston Station, Easthampton, Edgartown, Fall River, Fitchburg, Foxborough, Franklin, Gloucester, Great Barrington, Greenfield, Harwich, Haverhill, Holliston, Holyoke, Hopkinton, Hudson, Lawrence, Lee, Lowell, Lynn, Marblehead, Marlborough, Medway, Milford, Monson, Nantucket, Natick, New Bedford, Needham, Newburyport, Newton, North Adams, Northampton, North Brookfield, Orange, Orleans, Palmer, Pittsfield, Plymouth, Provincetown, Quincy, Roxbury Station, Salem, Sandwich, Springfield, Shelburne Falls, South Boston Station, Southbridge, South Framingham, South Gardner, South Hadley, South Yarmouth, Spencer, Taunton, Uxbridge, Waltham, Ware, Watertown, Webster, Westborough, Wellfleet, Westfield, Williamstown, Williamsburg, Winchendon, Woburn, Worcester, Yarmouth Port, Vineyard Haven.

GOVERNORS AND LIEUT. GOVERNORS IN MASS.

CHOSEN ANNUALLY BY THE PEOPLE.

GOVERNORS OF PLYMOUTH COLONY.

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| 1620 John Carver. | 1638 Thomas Prence. |
| 1621 William Bradford. | 1639 William Bradford. |
| 1633 Edward Winslow. | 1644 Edward Winslow. |
| 1634 Thomas Prence. | 1645 William Bradford. |
| 1635 William Bradford. | 1657 Thomas Prence. |
| 1636 Edward Winslow. | 1673 Josiah Winslow. |
| 1637 William Bradford. | 1681 Thomas Hinckley.* |

DEPUTY-GOVERNORS OF PLYMOUTH COLONY.

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| 1680 Thomas Hinckley.† | 1682 William Bradford, | to 1686 |
| 1681 James Cudworth. | 1689 William Bradford, | to 1692 |

CHOSEN ANNUALLY UNDER THE FIRST CHARTER.

GOVERNORS OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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| 1629 John Endicott.‡ | 1645 Thomas Dudley. |
| 1629 Matthew Cradock.‡ | 1646 John Winthrop. |
| 1630 John Winthrop.‡ | 1649 John Endicott. |
| 1634 Thomas Dudley. | 1650 Thomas Dudley. |
| 1635 John Haynes. | 1651 John Endicott. |
| 1636 Henry Vane. | 1654 Richard Bellingham. |
| 1637 John Winthrop. | 1655 John Endicott. |
| 1640 Thomas Dudley. | 1665 Richard Bellingham. |
| 1641 Richard Bellingham. | 1673 John Leverett. |
| 1642 John Winthrop. | 1679 Simon Bradstreet. |
| 1644 John Endicott. | |

* Mr. Hinckley was Governor till the union of the colonies in 1692, except during the administration of Andros.

† Previously there was no Deputy-Governor, a Governor *pro tem.* being appointed by the Governor to serve in his absence.

‡ By the Royal Charter, which passed the seals March 4, 1628-9, Matthew Cradock was appointed the first Governor, and Thomas Goffe, Deputy-Governor, both of whom had held the same offices before the Charter was granted. On the 13th of the following May the same persons were re-chosen under the Charter, but they never came to New England. On the 20th of October, 1629, John Winthrop was chosen Governor, and John Humphry Deputy-Governor. On the 30th of April, 1629, John Endicott was appointed, in London, to be Governor of the Plantation in New England, and held the office until the arrival of the Governor (Winthrop), in 1630.

DEPUTY-GOVERNORS OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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| 1629 Thomas Goffe,* . to 1629 | 1650 John Endicott, . . to 1651 |
| 1629 John Humphry, . 1629 | 1651 Thomas Dudley, . 1653 |
| 1629 Thomas Dudley, . 1634 | 1653 Richard Bellingham, 1654 |
| 1634 Roger Ludlow, . . 1635 | 1654 John Endicott, . . 1655 |
| 1635 Richard Bellingham, 1636 | 1655 Richard Bellingham, • 1655 |
| 1636 John Winthrop, . 1637 | 1655 Francis Willoughby, 1671 |
| 1637 Thomas Dudley, . 1640 | 1671 John Leverett, . . 1673 |
| 1640 Richard Bellingham, 1641 | 1673 Sam'l Symonds, to Oct., 1678 |
| 1641 John Endicott, . . 1644 | 1678 Oct., Simon Bradstreet, 1679 |
| 1644 John Winthrop, . 1646 | 1679 Thomas Danforth, . 1686 |
| 1646 Thomas Dudley, . 1650 | |

AFTER THE DISSOLUTION OF THE FIRST CHARTER.

DEPUTY-GOVERNOR OF MASSACHUSETTS.

1689 Thomas Danforth, to 1692.

APPOINTED BY THE KING UNDER SECOND CHARTER.

GOVERNORS OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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| 1692 May, Sir William Phipps. | 1730 June, <i>William Tailer</i> . |
| 1694 Nov., <i>William Stoughton</i> .† | 1730 Aug., Jonathan Belcher. |
| 1699 May, Richard Coote, Earl of Bellamont. | 1741 Aug., William Shirley, |
| 1700 July, <i>William Stoughton</i> . | 1749 Sept., <i>Spencer Phips</i> . |
| 1701 July, The Council. | 1753 William Shirley. |
| 1702 June, Joseph Dudley. | 1756 Sept., <i>Spencer Phips</i> . |
| 1714-15 Feb., The Council. | 1757 April, The Council. |
| 1714-15 March, Joseph Dudley. | 1757 Aug., Thomas Pownal. |
| 1715 Nov., <i>William Tailer</i> .‡ | 1760 June, <i>Thomas Hutchinson</i> . |
| 1716 Oct., Samuel Shute. | 1760 August, Sir Francis Bernard, Bart. |
| 1722-23 Jan., <i>William Dummer</i> . | 1769 Aug., <i>Thomas Hutchinson</i> . |
| 1728 William Burnet. | 1771 March, Thomas Hutchinson. |
| 1728 Sept., <i>William Dummer</i> . | 1774 May, Thomas Gage. |

* Thomas Goffe never came to New England. John Humphry was elected, but did not serve.

† Those whose names are printed in Italics were Acting Governors.

‡ In November, 1715, Elizeus Burgess was proclaimed Governor, he having had the appointment in March, 1714; but he never came over to perform his duties, and resigned the office in 1716.

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LIEUT. GOVERNORS OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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| 1692 Wm. Stoughton, to July, 1701 | 1730 William Tailer. |
| 1702 Thomas Povey, . 1706 | 1733 Spencer Phips. |
| 1705-06 Jan., vacancy to Oct., 1711 | 1758 Thomas Hutchinson. |
| 1711 William Tailer. | 1770 Andrew Oliver. |
| 1716 William Dummer. | 1774 Thomas Oliver. |

SINCE THE REVOLUTION.

1774 Oct., a Provincial Congress. | 1775 July, the Council.

UNDER THE CONSTITUTION.

GOVERNORS OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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| 1780 John Hancock, . . to 1785 | 1840 Marcus Morton, . . to 1841 |
| 1785 James Bowdoin, . 1787 | 1841 John Davis, . . 1843 |
| 1787 John Hancock, Oct. 8, 1793 | 1843 Marcus Morton, . 1844 |
| 1794 Samuel Adams, . 1797 | 1844 George N. Briggs, . 1851 |
| 1797 Increase Sumner, June 7, 1799 | 1851 George S. Boutwell, 1853 |
| 1800 Caleb Strong, . . 1807 | 1853 John H. Clifford, . 1854 |
| 1807 Jas. Sullivan, Dec. 10, 1808 | 1854 Emory Washburn, . 1855 |
| 1809 Christopher Gore, . 1810 | 1855 Henry J. Gardner, . 1858 |
| 1810 Elbridge Gerry, . 1812 | 1858 Nathaniel P. Banks, 1861 |
| 1812 Caleb Strong, . . 1816 | 1861 John A. Andrew, . 1866 |
| 1816 John Brooks, . . 1823 | 1866 Alexander H. Bullock, 1869 |
| 1823 Wm. Eustis, Feb. 6, 1825 | 1869 William Claflin, . 1872 |
| 1825 Levi Lincoln, . . 1834 | 1872 William B. Washburn,* 1874 |
| 1834 John Davis, March 1, 1835 | 1874 William Gaston, . |
| 1836 Edward Everett, . 1840 | |

LIEUT. GOVERNORS OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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| 1780 Thos. Cushing, Feb. 28, to 1788 | 1809 David Cobb, . . to 1810 |
| 1788 Benjamin Lincoln, . 1789 | 1810 William Gray, . . 1812 |
| 1789 <i>Samuel Adams</i> ,† . 1794 | 1812 William Phillips, . 1823 |
| 1794 <i>Moses Gill</i> , May 20, . 1800 | 1823 Levi Lincoln, Feb., . 1824 |
| 1801 Sam'l Phillips, Feb. 10, 1802 | 1824 <i>Marcus Morton</i> , July, 1825 |
| 1802 Edward H. Robbins, 1806 | 1826 Thomas L. Winthrop, 1832 |
| 1807 <i>Levi Lincoln</i> ,† . . 1809 | 1833 <i>Samuel T. Armstrong</i> , 1836 |

* Resigned, May 1, 1874. Chosen U. S. Senator, April 17, 1874.

† The Lieutenant-Governors whose names are in *Italics* were Acting-Governors also during vacancies in the office of Governor.

‡ General William Heath was elected in 1806, and declined to accept the office.

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| 1836 George Hull, . . . to 1843 | 1858 Eliphalet Trask, . . . to 1861 |
| 1843 Henry H. Childs, . . . 1844 | 1861 John Z. Goodrich, Mar. 29, 1861 |
| 1844 John Reed, . . . 1851 | 1861 John Nesmith, Sept., 1862 |
| 1851 Henry W. Cushman, . . . 1853 | 1863 Joel Hayden, . . . 1866 |
| 1853 Elisha Huntington, . . . 1854 | 1866 William Claflin, . . . 1869 |
| 1854 William C. Plunkett, . . . 1855 | 1869 Joseph Tucker, . . . 1873 |
| 1855 Simon Brown, . . . 1856 | 1873 <i>Thomas Talbot</i> ,* . . . 1875 |
| 1856 Henry W. Benchley, . . . 1858 | 1875 Horatio G. Knight, . . . |

UNITED STATES SENATORS FROM MASSACHUSETTS,

From 1789 to 1875.

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| Caleb Strong, . . . 1789-96 | Tristram Dalton, . . . 1789-91 |
| Theodore Sedgwick, . . . 1796-99 | George Cabot, . . . 1791-96 |
| Samuel Dexter, . . . 1799-1800 | Benjamin Goodhue, . . . 1796-1800 |
| Dwight Foster, . . . 1800-03 | Jonathan Mason, . . . 1800-03 |
| John Quincy Adams, . . . 1803-08 | Timothy Pickering, . . . 1803-11 |
| James Lloyd, . . . 1808-13 | Joseph Bradley Varnum, . . . 1811-17 |
| Christopher Gore, . . . 1813-16 | Harrison Gray Otis, . . . 1817-22 |
| Eli Porter Ashmun, . . . 1816-18 | James Lloyd, . . . 1822-26 |
| Prentiss Mellen, . . . 1818-20 | Nathaniel Silsbee, . . . 1826-35 |
| Elijah Hunt Mills, . . . 1820-27 | John Davis, . . . 1835-41 |
| Daniel Webster, . . . 1827-41 | Isaac Chapman Bates, . . . 1841-45 |
| Rufus Choate, . . . 1841-45 | John Davis, . . . 1845-53 |
| Daniel Webster, . . . 1845-50 | Edward Everett, . . . 1853-54 |
| Robert Charles Winthrop, . . . 1850-51 | Julius Rockwell, . . . 1854-55 |
| Robert Rantoul, Jr., . . . 1851-51 | Henry Wilson, . . . 1855-73 |
| Charles Sumner,† . . . 1851-74 | George S. Boutwell, . . . 1873- |
| William B. Washburn, . . . 1874- | |

NOTE.—Mr. Wilson was elected Vice-President in 1872; George S. Boutwell chosen to fill vacancy.

* Acting Governor from May 1, 1874.

† Charles Sumner died, March 10, 1874. William B. Washburn chosen to fill vacancy, April 17, 1874.

SECRETARIES.

*List of Persons who have held the office of SECRETARY
OF THE COMMONWEALTH,*

From 1780 to 1875.

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| John Avery, . . . | 1780-1806 | John A. Bolles, . . . | 1843-44 |
| Jonathan L. Austin, . . | 1806-08 | John G. Palfrey, . . . | 1844-48 |
| William Tudor, . . . | 1808-10 | William B. Calhoun, . . | 1848-51 |
| Benjamin Homans, . . . | 1810-12 | Amasa Walker, . . . | 1851-53 |
| Alden Bradford, . . . | 1812-24 | Ephraim M. Wright, . . | 1853-56 |
| Edward D. Bangs, . . . | 1824-36 | Francis DeWitt, . . . | 1856-58 |
| John P. Bigelow, . . . | 1836-43 | Oliver Warner, . . . | 1858- |

TREASURERS.

*List of Persons who have held the office of TREASURER
AND RECEIVER-GENERAL.*

From 1780 to 1875.

| | | | |
|--------------------------|------------|-------------------------|---------|
| Henry Gardner, . . . | 1780-83 | Hezekiah Barnard, . . . | 1832-37 |
| Thomas Ivers, . . . | 1783-87 | David Wilder, . . . | 1837-42 |
| Alexander Hodgdon, . . | 1787-92 | Thomas Russell, . . . | 1842-43 |
| Thomas Davis, . . . | 1792-97 | John Mills, . . . | 1843-44 |
| Peleg Coffin, . . . | *1797-1801 | Thomas Russell, . . . | 1844-45 |
| Jonathan Jackson, . . . | 1802-06 | Joseph Barrett, . . . | 1845-49 |
| Thompson J. Skinner, . . | 1806-08 | Ebenezer Bradbury, . . | 1849-51 |
| Josiah Dwight, . . . | 1808-10 | Charles B. Hall, . . . | 1851-53 |
| Thomas Harris, . . . | 1810-11 | Jacob H. Loud, . . . | 1853-55 |
| Jonathan L. Austin, . . | 1811-12 | Thomas J. Marsh, . . . | 1855-56 |
| John T. Apthorp, . . . | 1812-17 | Moses Tenney, Jr., . . | 1856-61 |
| Daniel Sargent, . . . | 1817-22 | Henry K. Oliver, . . . | 1861-66 |
| Nahum Mitchell, . . . | 1822-27 | Jacob H. Loud, . . . | 1866-71 |
| Joseph Sewall, . . . | 1827-32 | Charles Adams, Jr., . . | 1871- |

* Secretary Avery had a warrant to take care of the Treasury on the resignation of Coffin, in 1802.

ATTORNEY-GENERALS.

List of Persons who have held the office of ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

UNDER THE PROVINCE CHARTER.

| | |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Anthony Checkley, . . . 1692-1702 | John Overing, . . . 1739-41 |
| Paul Dudley, . . . 1702-18 | Jeremiah Gridley, . . 1742 |
| Thomas Newton, . . . 1718-21 | John Overing, . . . 1743-48 |
| John Overing, . . . 1728-32 | James Otis, . . . 1748 |
| John Read, . . . 1733-35 | Edmund Trowbridge, . 1749-67 |
| William Brattle, . . . 1736 | Jeremiah Gridley, . . 1767 |
| William Brattle, . . . 1738 | Jonathan Sewall, . . 1767-69 |

UNDER THE CONSTITUTION.

| | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Robert Treat Paine, . . 1780-90 | John Henry Clifford, . . 1854-58 |
| James Sullivan, . . . 1790-1807 | Stephen Henry Phillips, 1858-61 |
| Barnabas Bidwell, . . 1807-10 | Dwight Foster, . . . 1861-64 |
| Perez Morton, . . . 1810-32 | Chester I. Reed,† . . . 1864-67 |
| James T. Austin, . . . 1832-43 | Charles Allen, . . . 1867-72 |
| John Henry Clifford, . . *1849-53 | Charles R. Train, . . . 1872- |
| Rufus Choate, . . . 1853-54 | |

* The office of Attorney-General was abolished in 1843, and re-established in 1849.

† Resigned during the session of the Legislature of 1867. The vacancy was filled by the election of Charles Allen.

AUDITORS.

List of Persons who have held the office of AUDITOR OF ACCOUNTS.

[Established by Act of 1849.]

| | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| David Wilder, Jr., . . . 1849-54 | Levi Reed,* . . . 1861-65 |
| Joseph Mitchell, . . . 1854-55 | Julius L. Clarke, . . . 1865-66 |
| Stephen N. Gifford, . . 1855-56 | Henry S. Briggs, . . . 1866-69 |
| Chandler R. Ransom, . . 1856-58 | Charles Endicott, . . 1870- |
| Charles White, . . . 1858-61 | |

* Resigned December 20, 1865.

SECRETARIES OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

List of Persons who have held the office of SECRETARY OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

[See Act of 1837.]

| | | | | |
|---------------------|---------|--|---------------------------|---------|
| Horace Mann, . . . | 1837-48 | | George S. Boutwell, . . . | 1855-60 |
| Barnas Sears, . . . | 1848-55 | | Joseph White, . . . | 1860- |

ORGANIZATION OF THE LEGISLATURE.

From 1780 to 1875.

The first General Court, under the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, assembled at Boston, on Wednesday, October 25, 1780, and was finally prorogued (having held three sessions) May 19th, 1781. From this time until 1832, the political year commenced on the last Wednesday in May; and the General Court held two, and frequently three sessions during each year. In 1832, by an amendment of the Constitution, the commencement of the political year was changed to the first Wednesday in January.

SENATE.

PRESIDENTS.

| | | | |
|------------------------------------|---------|------------------------|-----------|
| Thos. Cushing, <i>resigned</i> , { | 1780-81 | Samuel Phillips, . | 1799-1800 |
| Jeremiah Powell, . . . } | | Samuel Phillips, . . . | 1800-01 |
| Jeremiah Powell, . . . | 1781-82 | David Cobb, . . . | 1801-02 |
| Samuel Adams, . . . | 1782-83 | David Cobb, . . . | 1802-03 |
| Samuel Adams, . . . | 1783-84 | David Cobb, . . . | 1803-04 |
| Samuel Adams, . . . | 1784-85 | David Cobb, . . . | 1804-05 |
| Samuel Adams, <i>resigned</i> , { | 1785-86 | Harrison Gray Otis, . | 1805-06 |
| Samuel Phillips, Jr., . . } | | John Bacon, . . . | 1806-07 |
| Samuel Phillips, Jr., . . | 1786-87 | Samuel Dana, . . . | 1807-08 |
| Samuel Adams, . . . | 1787-88 | Harrison Gray Otis, . | 1808-09 |
| Samuel Phillips, Jr., . . | 1788-89 | Harrison Gray Otis, . | 1809-10 |
| Samuel Phillips, Jr., . . | 1789-90 | Harrison Gray Otis, . | 1810-11 |
| Samuel Phillips, . . . | 1790-91 | Samuel Dana, . . . | 1811-12 |
| Samuel Phillips, . . . | 1791-92 | Samuel Dana, . . . | 1812-13 |
| Samuel Phillips, . . . | 1792-93 | John Phillips, . . . | 1813-14 |
| Samuel Phillips, . . . | 1793-94 | John Phillips, . . . | 1814-15 |
| Samuel Phillips, . . . | 1794-95 | John Phillips, . . . | 1815-16 |
| Samuel Phillips, . . . | 1795-96 | John Phillips, . . . | 1816-17 |
| Samuel Phillips, . . . | 1796-97 | John Phillips, . . . | 1817-18 |
| Samuel Phillips, . . . | 1797-98 | John Phillips, . . . | 1818-19 |
| Samuel Phillips, . . . | 1798-99 | John Phillips, . . . | 1819-20 |

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| • John Phillips, | 1820-21 | William B. Calhoun, | 1847 |
| John Phillips, | 1821-22 | Zeno Scudder, | 1848 |
| John Phillips, | 1822-23 | Joseph Bell, | 1849 |
| Nathaniel Silsbee, | 1823-24 | Marshall P. Wilder, | 1850 |
| Nathaniel Silsbee, | 1824-25 | Henry Wilson, | 1851 |
| Nathaniel Silsbee, | 1825-26 | Henry Wilson, | 1852 |
| John Mills, | 1826-27 | Charles H. Warren, | 1853 |
| John Mills, | 1827-28 | Charles Edward Cook, | 1854 |
| Sherman Leland, | 1828-29 | Henry W. Benchley, | 1855 |
| Samuel Lathrop, | 1829-30 | Elihu C. Baker, | 1856 |
| Samuel Lathrop, | 1830-31 | Charles W. Upham, | 1857 |
| Leverett Saltonstall, | 1831 | Charles W. Upham, | 1858 |
| William Thorndike, | 1832 | Charles A. Phelps, | 1859 |
| Benj. T. Pickman, | 1833 | Charles A. Phelps, | 1860 |
| Benj. T. Piekman, | 1834 | William Claffin, | 1861 |
| Benj. T. Pickman, <i>dec'd</i> , } | 1835 | John H. Clifford, | 1862 |
| George Bliss, | | Jonathan E. Field, | 1863 |
| Horace Mann, | 1836 | Jonathan E. Field, | 1864 |
| Horace Mann, | 1837 | Jonathan E. Field, | 1865 |
| Myron Lawrence, | 1838 | Joseph A. Pond, | 1866 |
| Myron Lawrence, | 1839 | Joseph A. Pond, | 1867 |
| Daniel P. King, | 1840 | George O. Brastow, | 1868 |
| Daniel P. King, | 1841 | Robert C. Pitman, <i>resigned</i> , } | 1869 |
| Josiah Quincy, Jr., | 1842 | George O. Brastow, | |
| Phineas W. Leland, <i>resi'd</i> , } | 1843 | Horace H. Coolidge, | 1870 |
| Frederick Robinson, | | Horace H. Coolidge, | 1871 |
| Josiah Quincy, Jr., | 1844 | Horace H. Coolidge, | 1872 |
| Levi Lincoln, | 1845 | Geo. B. Loring, | 1873 |
| William B. Calhoun, | 1846 | Geo. B. Loring, | 1874 |

CLERKS.

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------|---------|
| William Baker, Jr., | 1780-84 | Samuel F. Lyman, | 1822 |
| Samuel Cooper, | 1785-95 | Paul Willard, | 1823-29 |
| Edward McLane, | 1796-99 | Charles Calhoun, | 1830-42 |
| Edward Payne Hayman, | 1800 | Lewis Josselyn, | 1843 |
| George Elliot Vaughn, | 1801-02 | Charles Calhoun, | 1844-50 |
| Wendell Davis, | 1803-05 | Chauncey L. Knapp, | 1851 |
| John D. Dunbar, | 1806-07 | Francis H. Underwood, | 1852 |
| Nathaniel Coffin, | 1808-10 | Charles Calhoun, | 1853-54 |
| Marcus Morton, | 1811-12 | Peter L. Cox, | 1855-57 |
| Samuel F. McCleary, | 1813-21 | Stephen N. Gifford, | 1858- |

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

SPEAKERS.

| | | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------------|---------|
| Caleb Davis, | 1780-81 | Timothy Bigelow, | 1813-19 |
| Caleb Davis, <i>resigned</i> , . . | 1781-82 | Timothy Bigelow, | 1819-20 |
| Nathaniel Gorham, | 1782 | Elijah H. Mills, <i>resigned</i> , . | 1820-21 |
| Nathaniel Gorham, | 1782-83 | Josiah Quincy, | 1821 |
| Tristram Dalton, | 1783-84 | Josiah Quincy, <i>resigned</i> , . | 1821-22 |
| Tristram Dalton, | 1784-85 | Luther Lawrence, | 1822 |
| Nathaniel Gorham, | 1785-86 | Levi Lincoln, | 1822-23 |
| Artemas Ward, | 1786-87 | William C. Jarvis, | 1823-24 |
| James Warren, | 1787-88 | William C. Jarvis, | 1824-25 |
| Theodore Sedgwick, | 1788-89 | Timothy Fuller, | 1825-26 |
| David Cobb, | 1789-90 | William C. Jarvis, | 1826-27 |
| David Cobb, | 1790-91 | William C. Jarvis, | 1827-28 |
| David Cobb, | 1791-92 | William B. Calhoun, | 1828-29 |
| David Cobb, | 1792-93 | William B. Calhoun, | 1829-30 |
| Edward H. Robbins, | 1793-94 | William B. Calhoun, | 1830 |
| Edward H. Robbins, | 1794-95 | William B. Calhoun, | 1831 |
| Edward H. Robbins, | 1795-96 | William B. Calhoun, | 1832 |
| Edward H. Robbins, | 1796-97 | William B. Calhoun, | 1833 |
| Edward H. Robbins, | 1797-98 | William B. Calhoun, | 1834 |
| Edward H. Robbins, | 1798-99 | Julius Rockwell, | 1835 |
| Edward H. Robbins, | 1799-1800 | Julius Rockwell, | 1836 |
| Edward H. Robbins, | 1800-01 | Julius Rockwell, | 1837 |
| Edward H. Robbins, | 1801-02 | Robert C. Winthrop, | 1838 |
| John Coffin Jones, | 1802-03 | Robert C. Winthrop, | 1839 |
| Harrison Gray Otis, | 1803-04 | Robert C. Winthrop, | 1840 |
| Harrison Gray Otis, | 1804-05 | George Ashmun, | 1841 |
| Timothy Bigelow, | 1805-06 | Thomas Kinnicut, | 1842 |
| Perez Morton, | 1806-07 | Daniel P. King, | 1843 |
| Perez Morton, | 1807-08 | Thomas Kinnicut, <i>resigned</i> , . | 1844 |
| Timothy Bigelow, | 1808-09 | Samuel H. Walley, Jr., . . . | 1844 |
| Timothy Bigelow, | 1809-10 | Samuel H. Walley, Jr., . . . | 1845 |
| Perez Morton, <i>resigned</i> , . . | 1810-11 | Samuel H. Walley, Jr., . . . | 1846 |
| Joseph Story, | 1811 | Ebenezer Bradbury, | 1847 |
| Joseph Story, <i>resigned</i> , . . | 1811-12 | Francis B. Crowninshield, . . | 1848 |
| Eleazer W. Ripley, | 1812 | Francis B. Crowninshield, . . | 1849 |
| Timothy Bigelow, | 1812-13 | Ensign H. Kellogg, | 1850 |
| Timothy Bigelow, | 1813-14 | Nathaniel P. Banks, Jr., . . . | 1851 |
| Timothy Bigelow, | 1814-15 | Nathaniel P. Banks, Jr., . . . | 1852 |
| Timothy Bigelow, | 1815-16 | George Bliss, | 1853 |
| Timothy Bigelow, | 1816-17 | Otis P. Lord, | 1854 |
| Timothy Bigelow, | 1817-18 | Daniel C. Eddy, | 1855 |

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| Charles A. Phelps, . . . 1856 | Alexander H. Bullock, . . . 1865 |
| Charles A. Phelps, . . . 1857 | James M. Stone, . . . 1866 |
| Julius Rockwell, . . . 1858 | James M. Stone, . . . 1867 |
| Charles Hale, . . . 1859 | Harvey Jewell, . . . 1868 |
| John A. Goodwin, . . . 1860 | Harvey Jewell, . . . 1869 |
| John A. Goodwin, . . . 1861 | Harvey Jewell, . . . 1870 |
| Alexander H. Bullock, . . . 1862 | Harvey Jewell, . . . 1871 |
| Alexander H. Bullock, . . . 1863 | John E. Sanford, . . . 1872 |
| Alexander H. Bullock, . . . 1864 | John E. Sanford, . . . 1873 |

CLERKS.

| | |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| Andrew Henshaw, . . . 1780-81 | Charles W. Storey, . . . 1844-50 |
| George Richards Minot, . . . 1782-91 | Lewis Josselyn, . . . 1851-52 |
| Henry Warren, . . . 1792-1802 | William Schouler, . . . 1853 |
| Nicholas Tillinghast, . . . 1803-05 | William Stowe, . . . 1854 |
| Chas. Pinckney Sumner, . . . 1806-07 | Henry A. Marsh, . . . 1855 |
| Nicholas Tillinghast, . . . 1808-09 | W. ^e E. P. Haskell, . . . 1856 |
| Chas. Pinckney Sumner, . . . 1810-11 | William Stowe, . . . 1857-61 |
| Benjamin Pollard, . . . 1812-21 | William S. Robinson, . . . 1862-73 |
| Pelham W. Warren, . . . 1822-31 | Charles H. Taylor, . . . 1873-74 |
| Luther S. Cushing, . . . 1832-43 | George A. Marden, . . . 1874- |

TABLE

Showing the length of the Sessions of the Legislature, and the Number of Representatives in each year since 1832.

| YEAR. | Time of Meeting. | Prorogued. | Length of Session. | No. of Reps. |
|----------------|------------------|------------|--------------------|--------------|
| 1832, | January 4. | March 24. | 80 days. | 528 |
| 1833, | 2. | 28. | 86 " | 574 |
| 1834, | 1. | April 2. | 92 " | 570 |
| 1835,* | 7. | 8. | 92 " | 615 |
| 1836, | 6. | 16. | 102 " | 619 |
| 1837, | 4. | 20. | 107 " | 635 |
| 1838, | 3. | 25. | 113 " | 480 |
| 1839, | 2. | 10. | 99 " | 521 |
| 1840, | 1. | March 24. | 84 " | 521 |
| 1841, | 6. | 18. | 72 " | 397 |
| 1842,* | 5. | 3. | 58 " | 336 |
| 1843, | 4. | 24. | 80 " | 352 |
| 1844, | 3. | 16. | 74 " | 321 |
| 1845, | 1. | 26. | 85 " | 271 |
| 1846, | 7. | April 16. | 100 " | 264 |
| 1847, | 6. | 16. | 111 " | 255 |
| 1848,* | 5. | May 10. | 127 " | 272 |
| 1849, | 3. | 2. | 120 " | 263 |

* There was an extra session of sixty-two days in 1835, to revise the Statutes; one of nine days in 1842, to divide the Commonwealth into Congressional Districts; one of three days in 1843, to choose electors of President and Vice-President; one of eighteen days in 1857, to establish districts for the choice of Councillors, Representatives and Senators; one of one hundred and thirteen days in 1859, to revise the General Statutes; one of fourteen days in 1860, to consider the subject of the disease among the cattle of the Commonwealth; and one of ten days in 1861, to consider the duty of the Commonwealth in relation to public affairs, consequent upon the rebellion; one of eight days in 1863, to provide for raising the quota under the call of the President of the United States of the 17th of October, 1863, for 300,000 men; one of thirty days in 1872, to consider what legislation is necessary by reason of the great fire in Boston, November 9th and 10th.

TABLE—Concluded.

| YEAR. | Time of Meeting. | Prorogued. | Length of Session. | No. of Reps. |
|----------------|---------------------|------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| 1850, | January 2. | May 3. | 122 days. | 297 |
| 1851, | 1. | 24. | 146 " | 396 |
| 1852, | 7. | 22. | 137 " | 402 |
| 1853, | 5. | 25. | 142 " | 288 |
| 1854, | 4. | April 29. | 116 " | 310 |
| 1855, | 3. | May 21. | 138 " | 380 |
| 1856, | 1. | June 6. | 158 " | 329 |
| 1857,* | 7. | May 30. | 144 " | 357 |
| 1858, | 6. | March 27. | 81 " | 240 |
| 1859,* | 5. | April 6. | 92 " | 240 |
| 1860,* | 4. | 4. | 92 " | 240 |
| 1861,* | 2. | 11. | 100 " | 240 |
| 1862, | 1. | 30. | 120 " | 240 |
| 1863,* | 7. | 29. | 113 " | 240 |
| 1864, | 6. | May 14. | 130 " | 240 |
| 1865, | 4. | 17. | 137 " | 240 |
| 1866, | 3. | 30. | 147 " | 240 |
| 1867, | 2. | June 1. | 150 " | 240 |
| 1868, | 1. | 12. | 164 " | 240 |
| 1869, | 6. | 24. | 170 " | 240 |
| 1870, | 5. | 23. | 170 " | 240 |
| 1871, | 4. | May 31. | 148 " | 240 |
| 1872,* | 3. | 7. | 126 " | 240 |
| 1873, | 1. | June 12. | 163 " | 240 |
| 1874, | 7. | 30. | 175 " | 240 |

* See note on preceding page.

JUDICIARY.

*Judges of the Superior Court of Judicature of the Province of
Massachusetts Bay, from 1692 to 1775.**

CHIEF JUSTICES.

| APPOINTED. | LEFT THE BENCH. | DIED. |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|-------|
| 1692. William Stoughton, . . . | 1701. Resigned. | 1701. |
| 1702. Isaac Addington, . . . | 1703. Resigned. | 1715. |
| 1708. Wait Winthrop, . . . | 1717. | 1717. |
| 1718. Samuel Sewall, . . . | 1728. Resigned. | 1730. |
| 1729. Benjamin Lynde, . . . | 1745. | 1745. |
| 1745. Paul Dudley, . . . | 1751. | 1751. |
| 1752. Stephen Sewall, . . . | 1760. | 1760. |
| 1761. Thomas Hutchinson, . . . | 1769. Appointed Governor. | 1780. |
| 1769. Benjamin Lynde, . . . | 1771. Resigned. | 1781. |
| 1772. Peter Oliver, . . . | 1775. Removed at Revolution. | 1791. |

JUDGES.

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------|
| 1692. Thomas Danforth, . . . | 1699. | 1699. |
| 1692. Wait Winthrop, . . . | 1701. Resigned. | 1717. |
| 1692. John Richards, . . . | 1694. | 1694. |
| 1693. Samuel Sewall, . . . | 1718. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1730. |
| 1695. Elisha Cooke, . . . | 1702. Removed. | 1715. |
| 1700. John Walley, . . . | 1712. | 1712. |
| 1701. John Saffin, . . . | 1702. Removed. | 1710. |
| 1702. John Hathorne, . . . | 1712. Resigned. | 1717. |
| 1702. John Leverett, . . . | 1708. Resigned. | 1724. |
| 1708. Jonathan Corwin, . . . | 1715. Resigned. | 1718. |
| 1712. Benjamin Lynde, . . . | 1729. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1745. |
| 1712. Nathaniel Thomas, . . . | 1718. Resigned. | 1718. |
| 1715. Addington Davenport, . . . | 1736. | 1736. |
| 1718. Paul Dudley, . . . | 1745. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1751. |
| 1718. Edmund Quincy, . . . | 1737. | 1737. |
| 1729. John Cushing, . . . | 1733. Removed. | 1737. |

* The judges died in office, except where otherwise stated.

| APPOINTED. | LEFT THE BENCH. | DIED. |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------|
| 1733. Jonathan Remington, . . . | 1745. | 1745. |
| 1736. Richard Saltonstall, . . . | 1756. | 1756. |
| 1737. Thomas Greaves, . . . | 1738. Resigned. | 1747. |
| 1739. Stephen Sewall, . . . | 1752. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1760. |
| 1745. Nathaniel Hubbard, . . . | 1746. Resigned. | 1748. |
| 1745. Benjamin Lynde, . . . | 1769. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1781. |
| 1747. John Cushing, . . . | 1771. Resigned. | 1775. |
| 1752. Chambers Russell, . . . | 1766. | 1766. |
| 1756. Peter Oliver, . . . | 1772. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1791. |
| 1767. Edmund Trowbridge, . . . | 1775. Removed at Revolution. | 1793. |
| 1771. Foster Hutchinson, . . . | 1775. Removed at Revolution. | 1799. |
| 1772. Nathaniel Ropes, . . . | 1774. | 1774. |
| 1772. William Cushing, . . . | 1775. Removed at Revolution. | 1810. |
| 1774. William Browne, . . . | 1775. Removed at Revolution. | 1802. |

*Justices of the Superior Court of Judicature, and the Supreme
Judicial Court of Massachusetts since the Revolution.*

CHIEF JUSTICES.

| APPOINTED. | LEFT THE BENCH. | DIED. |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|-------|
| 1775. John Adams, . . . | 1776. Resigned.* | 1826. |
| 1777. William Cushing, . . . | 1789. Resigned.† | 1810. |
| 1790. Nathaniel Peaslee Sargent, | 1791. | 1791. |
| 1791. Francis Dana, . . . | 1806. Resigned. | 1811. |
| 1806. Theophilus Parsons, . . . | 1813. | 1813. |
| 1814. Samuel Sewall, . . . | 1814. | 1814. |
| 1814. Isaac Parker, . . . | 1830. | 1830. |
| 1830. Lemuel Shaw, . . . | 1860. Resigned. | 1861. |
| 1860. George Tyler Bigelow, . . . | 1868. Resigned. | |
| 1868. Reuben Atwater Chapman, | | 1873. |
| 1873. Horace Gray. | | |

JUSTICES.

| | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------|
| 1775. William Cushing, . . . | 1777. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1810. |
| 1775. Nathaniel Peaslee Sargent, | 1790. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1791. |
| 1775. William Reed, . . . | 1776. Superseded. | 1780. |
| 1775. Robert Treat Paine, . . . | 1776. Superseded. | 1814. |

* Mr. Adams never took his seat on the Bench.

† Chief Justice Cushing resigned on being appointed one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States.

| APPOINTED. | LEFT THE BENCH. | DIED. |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------|
| 1776. Jedediah Foster, . . . | 1779. | 1779. |
| 1776. James Sullivan, . . . | 1782. Resigned. | 1808. |
| 1777. David Sewall, . . . | 1789. Resigned.* | 1825. |
| 1782. Increase Sumner, . . . | 1797. Elected Governor. | 1799. |
| 1785. Francis Dana, . . . | 1791. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1811. |
| 1790. Robert Treat Paine, . . . | 1804. Resigned. | 1814. |
| 1790. Nathan Cushing, . . . | 1800. Resigned. | 1812. |
| 1792. Thomas Dawes, . . . | 1802. Resigned. | 1825. |
| 1797. Theophilus Bradbury, . . . | 1803. Removed. | 1803. |
| 1800. Samuel Sewall, . . . | 1814. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1814. |
| 1801. Simeon Strong, . . . | 1805. | 1805. |
| 1801. George Thacher, . . . | 1824. Resigned. | 1824. |
| 1802. Theodore Sedgwick, . . . | 1813. | 1813. |
| 1806. Isaac Parker, . . . | 1814. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1830. |
| 1813. Charles Jackson, . . . | 1823. Resigned. | 1855. |
| 1814. Daniel Dewey, . . . | 1815. | 1815. |
| 1814. Samuel Putnam, . . . | 1842. Resigned. | 1853. |
| 1815. Samuel Sumner Wilde, . . . | 1850. Resigned. | 1855. |
| 1824. Levi Lincoln, . . . | 1825. Elected Governor. | 1868. |
| 1825. Marcus Morton, . . . | 1840. Elected Governor. | 1864. |
| 1837. Charles Augustus Dewey, . . . | 1866. | 1866. |
| 1842. Samuel Hubbard, . . . | 1847. | 1847. |
| 1848. Charles Edward Forbes, . . . | 1848. Resigned. | |
| 1848. Theron Metcalf, . . . | 1865. Resigned. | |
| 1848. Richard Fletcher, . . . | 1853. Resigned. | 1869. |
| 1850. George Tyler Bigelow, . . . | 1860. Appointed Chief Justice. | |
| 1852. Caleb Cushing, . . . | 1853. Resigned.† | |
| 1853. Benj. Franklin Thomas, . . . | 1859. Resigned. | |
| 1853. Pliny Merrick, . . . | 1864. Resigned. | 1867. |
| 1859. Ebenezer Rockwood Hoar, . . . | 1869. Resigned.† | |
| 1860. Reuben Atwater Chapman, . . . | 1868. Appointed Chief Justice. | |
| 1864. Horace Gray, Jr., . . . | 1873. Appointed Chief Justice. | |
| 1865. James Denison Colt, . . . | 1866. Resigned. | |
| 1866. Dwight Foster, . . . | 1869. Resigned. | |
| 1866. John Wells, . . . | | |
| 1868. James Denison Colt, . . . | | |
| 1869. Seth Ames, . . . | | |
| 1869. Marcus Morton, . . . | | |
| 1873. Wm. C. Endicott, . . . | | |
| 1873. Charles Devens, Jr., . . . | | |

* Mr. Justice Sewall resigned on being appointed Judge of the United States District Court for the District of Maine.

† Mr. Justice Cushing and Mr. Justice Hoar resigned on being appointed to the office of Attorney-General of the United States.

Justices of the Court of Common Pleas from its establishment in 1820 until its abolition in 1859.

CHIEF JUSTICES.

| APPOINTED. | LEFT THE BENCH. | DIED. |
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| 1820. Artemas Ward, . . . | 1839. Resigned. | 1847. |
| 1839. John Mason Williams, . . . | 1844. Resigned. | 1868. |
| 1844. Daniel Wells, . . . | 1854. | 1854. |
| 1854. Edward Mellen, . . . | 1859. | |

JUSTICES.

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| 1820. Solomon Strong, . . . | 1842. Resigned. | 1850. |
| 1820. John Mason Williams, . . . | 1839. Appointed Chief Justice. | 1868. |
| 1820. Samuel Howe, . . . | 1828. | 1828. |
| 1828. David Cummins, . . . | 1844. Resigned. | 1855. |
| 1839. Charles Henry Warren, . . . | 1844. Resigned. | |
| 1842. Charles Allen, . . . | 1844. Resigned. | 1869. |
| 1843. Pliny Merrick, . . . | 1848. Resigned. | 1867. |
| 1844. Joshua Holyoke Ward, . . . | 1848. | 1848. |
| 1844. Emery Washburn, . . . | 1847. Resigned. | |
| 1844. Luther Stearns Cushing, . . . | 1848. Resigned. | 1856. |
| 1845. Harrison Gray Otis Colby, . . . | 1847. Resigned. | 1853. |
| 1847. Charles Edward Forbes, . . . | 1848. Appointed to Supreme Court. | |
| 1847. Edward Mellen, . . . | 1854. Appointed Chief Justice. | |
| 1848. George Tyler Bigelow, . . . | 1850. Appointed to Supreme Court. | |
| 1848. Jonathan Coggs well Perkins, . . . | 1859. | |
| 1848. Horatio Byington, . . . | 1856. | 1856. |
| 1848. Thomas Hopkinton, . . . | 1849. Resigned. | 1850. |
| 1849. Ebenezer Rockwood Hoar, . . . | 1855. Resigned. | |
| 1850. Pliny Merrick, . . . | 1853. Appointed to Sup. Ct. | 1867. |
| 1851. Henry Walker Bishop, . . . | 1859. | 1871. |
| 1853. George Nixon Briggs, . . . | 1859. | 1861. |
| 1854. George Partridge Sanger, . . . | 1859. | |
| 1855. Henry Morris, . . . | 1859. | |
| 1856. David Aiken, . . . | 1859. | |

*Justices of the Superior Court since its establishment in 1859.***CHIEF JUSTICES.**

| APPOINTED. | LEFT THE BENCH. | DIED. |
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| 1859. Charles Allen, . . . | 1867. Resigned. | 1869. |
| 1867. Seth Ames, . . . | 1869. Appointed to Supreme Court. | |
| 1869. Lincoln Flagg Brigham, . | | |

JUSTICES.

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| 1859. Julius Rockwell, . . . | | |
| 1859. Otis Phillips Lord, . . . | | |
| 1859. Marcus Morton, Jr., . . . | 1869. Appointed to Supreme Court. | |
| 1859. Seth Ames, . . . | 1867. Appointed Chief Justice. | |
| 1859. Ezra Wilkinson, . . . | | |
| 1859. Henry Vose, . . . | 1869. | 1869. |
| 1856. Thomas Russell, . . . | 1867. Resigned. | |
| 1859. John Phelps Putnam, . . | | |
| 1859. Lincoln Flagg Brigham, . | 1869. Appointed Chief Justice. | |
| 1867. Chester Isham Reed, . . | 1871. Resigned. | |
| 1867. Charles Devens, Jr., . . | 1873. Appointed Justice of S. J. C. | |
| 1869. Henry Austin Scudder, . | 1872. Resigned. | |
| 1869. Francis Henshaw Dewey, | | |
| 1869. Robert Carter Pitman, . . | | |
| 1871. John W. Bacon, . . . | | |
| 1872. William Allen, . . . | | |
| 1873. P. Emory Aldrich, . . . | | |

Present Organization of the Courts.

[All judges in the Commonwealth are appointed by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Council, and hold office during good behavior.]

Supreme Judicial Court.

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| Horace Gray, of Boston, <i>Chief Justice</i> , . . . | Salary, \$6,500 |
| John Wells, of Brookline, <i>Justice</i> , . . . | " 6,000 |

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| James D. Colt, of Pittsfield, <i>Justice</i> , | . | . | . | . | Salary, \$6,000 |
| Seth Ames, of Brookline, " | . | . | . | . | " 6,000 |
| Marcus Morton, of Andover, " | . | . | . | . | " 6,000 |
| William C. Endicott, of Salem, " | . | . | . | . | " 6,000 |
| Charles Devens, Jr., of Boston, " | . | . | . | . | " 6,000 |

Superior Court.

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| Lincoln F. Brigham, of Salem, <i>Chief Justice</i> , | . | . | Salary, \$5,300 |
| Julius Rockwell, of Lenox, <i>Justice</i> , | . | . | " 5,000 |
| Otis P. Lord, of Salem, " | . | . | " 5,000 |
| Ezra Wilkinson, of Dedham, " | . | . | " 5,000 |
| John P. Putnam, of Boston, " | . | . | " 5,000 |
| Francis H. Dewey, of Worcester, " | . | . | " 5,000 |
| Robert C. Pitman, of New Bedford, " | . | . | " 5,000 |
| John W. Bacon, of Natick, " | . | . | " 5,000 |
| William Allen, of Northampton, " | . | . | " 5,000 |
| P. Emory Aldrich, of Worcester, " | . | . | " 5,000 |

Probate Courts and Courts of Insolvency.

There is a PROBATE COURT and a COURT OF INSOLVENCY in each county, distinct in their jurisdiction, powers, proceedings and practice, but having the same judge and register. These courts are held by the judge of probate and insolvency, appointed for the county; but the judges of the several counties may, in case of necessity or convenience, interchange services, and perform each others' duties.

The names of the judges, registers and assistant registers may be found among the list of County Officers.

Police Courts and Municipal Courts.

BOSTON.—(Municipal Court.) Mellen Chamberlain, *Chief Justice*, Joseph M. Churchill and William E. Parmenter, *Associate Justices*; salary, \$3,000 each. *Special Justice*, William J. Forsaith. *Clerks*, William T. Connolly, civil side; salary, \$2,500. John C. Leighton, criminal side, salary, \$2,500. HIGHLAND DISTRICT.—*Justice*, Peter S. Wheelock, salary, \$2,500. *Special Justices*, Henry W. Fuller, Solomon A. Bolster. *Clerk*, Phineas B. Smith, Jr.; salary, \$1,500. DORCHESTER DISTRICT.—*Justice*, Joseph R. Churchill; salary, \$1,600. *Special Justices*, George M. Reed, George A. Fisher. *Clerk*, Robert T. Swan; salary, \$1,000. EAST BOSTON.—*Justice*, Benjamin Pond; salary, \$1,600. *Special Justices*, Roscoe H. Thompson, James L. Walsh. *Clerk*, William S. Allen; salary, \$1,000. SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.—*Justice*, Robert H. Burbank; salary, \$2,000. *Special Justices*, Joseph D. Fallon, Benjamin F. Burnham. *Clerk*, Joseph H.

Allen; salary, \$1,000. CHARLESTOWN DISTRICT.—*Justice*, George W. Warren; salary, \$2,000. *Special Justices*, Henry W. Bragg, John W. Pettengill. *Clerk*, Daniel Williams; salary, \$1,500. BRIGHTON DISTRICT.—*Justice*, Henry Baldwin; salary, \$1,600. *Special Justices*, Frederick W. Galbraith, Michael Norton. *Clerk*, James H. Rice; salary, \$1,000. WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT.—*Justice*, John W. McKim; salary, \$1,600. *Special Justices*, James M. F. Howard, George R. Fowler. *Clerk*, William Maccarty; salary, \$1,000.

CAMBRIDGE.—*Justice*, John S. Ladd; salary, \$1,500. *Special Justices*, Woodward Emery, H. W. Muzzey. *Clerk*, Thomas McIntire, Jr.; salary, \$800.¹

CHIELSEA.—*Justice*, Hamlet Bates; salary, \$1,800. *Special Justices*, Erastus Rugg, Hosea Ilsley. *Clerk*, Franklin O. Barnes; salary, \$1,000.

CHICOPEE.—*Justice*, Edwin O. Carter; salary, \$900. *Special Justice*, Simon G. Southworth.

FALL RIVER.—*Justice*, Louis Lapham; salary, \$1,800. *Special Justice*, Milton Reed. *Clerk*, Augustus B. Leonard; salary, \$1,000.

FITCHBURG.—*Justice*, Thornton K. Ware; salary, \$1,300. *Special Justices*, David H. Merriam, Edward P. Loring. *Clerk*, George W. Cann; salary, \$800.

GLOUCESTER.—*Justice*, James Davis; salary, \$800. *Special Justice*, Elbridge G. Friend.

HAVERHILL.—*Justice*, Henry Carter; salary, \$1,800. *Special Justices*, Alfred Kittredge, William E. Blunt. *Clerk*, Edward C. Dubois; salary, \$1,000.

HOLYOKE.—*Justice*, Joseph P. Buckland; salary, \$1,600. *Special Justices*, Porter Underwood, W. B. C. Pearsons.

LAWRENCE.—*Justice*, William Stevens; salary, \$1,500. *Special Justices*, William H. P. Wright, Gilbert E. Hood. *Clerk*, Charles E. Briggs; salary, \$800.

LEE.—*Justice*, Isaac C. Ives; salary, \$800. *Special Justices*, James Bullard, Franklin W. Gibbs.

LOWELL.—*Justice*, Nathan Crosby; salary, \$2,200. *Special Justices*, George Stevens, John Davis. *Clerk*, Samuel P. Hadley; salary, \$1,200.

LYNN.—*Justice*, James R. Newhall; salary, \$1,800. *Special Justices*, Nathan M. Hawkes, Rollin E. Harmon. *Clerk*, Henry C. Oliver; salary, \$1,000.

NEW BEDFORD.—*Justice*, Alanson Borden; salary, \$1,500. *Special Justices*, Edmund Anthony, W. W. Crapo. *Clerk*, Charles H. Sandford; salary, \$800.

NEWBURYPORT.—*Justice*, William E. Currier; salary, \$900. *Special*

Justices, Henry W. Chapman, John N. Pike. *Clerk*, E. F. Bartlett; salary, \$500.

SALEM.—*Justice*, Joseph G. Waters; salary, \$1,500. *Special Justices*, Stephen P. Webb, J. B. F. Osgood.

SOMERVILLE.—*Justice*, Isaac Story; salary, \$1,800. *Clerk*, Lebbeus Stetson; salary, \$1,000.

SPRINGFIELD.—*Justice*, James H. Morton; salary, \$2,400. *Special Justices*, Alfred M. Copeland, Samuel B. Spooner. *Clerk*, Charles C. Spelman, salary, \$1,200.

TAUNTON.—(Municipal Court.) *Justice*, William H. Fox; salary, \$1,800. *Special Justice*, William E. Fuller. *Clerk*, Albert A. Austin; salary, \$1,000.

WILLIAMSTOWN.—*Justice*, John R. Bulkley; salary, \$300. *Special Justices*, Andrew M. Smith, Henry L. Sabin.

District Courts.

CENTRAL BERKSHIRE (court held at Pittsfield; jurisdiction in Hancock, Lanesborough, Peru, Windsor, Hinsdale, Dalton, Pittsfield and Richmond).—*Justice*, Joseph Tucker; salary, \$1,600. *Special Justices*, Chas. W. Van De Mark, Frank W. Rockwell. *Clerk*, Walter B. Smith; salary, \$800.

NORTHERN BERKSHIRE (court held at Adams; jurisdiction in Adams, Clarksburg, Savoy, Florida and Cheshire).—*Justice*, Jarvis Rockwell; salary, \$1,200. *Special Justices*, Frederick P. Brown, Nelson H. Bixby. *Clerk*, Lyman M. Flagg, salary, \$800.

SOUTHERN BERKSHIRE (court held at Great Barrington; jurisdiction in Sheffield, Great Barrington, Egremont, Alford, Mt. Washington, Monterey and New Marlborough).—*Justice*, James Bradford; salary, \$1,200. *Special Justices*, James H. Rowley, Rennselaer N. Couch. *Clerk*, Thomas Siggins; salary, \$600.

FIRST PLYMOUTH (court held at Brockton; jurisdiction in Brockton, Bridgewater and West Bridgewater).—*Justice*, Jonas R. Perkins; salary, \$1,200. *Special Justice*, Chas. W. Sumner. *Clerk*, David L. Cowell; salary, \$600.

SECOND PLYMOUTH (court held at Abington and Hingham; jurisdiction in Abington, Rockland, Hingham, Hull and Hanover).—*Justice*, Jacob B. Harris; salary, \$1,400. *Special Justices*, Zenas Jenkins, James S. Lewis. *Clerk*, Otis W. Soule; salary, \$800.

THIRD PLYMOUTH (court held at Plymouth and Scituate; jurisdiction in Plymouth, Kingston, Plympton, Pembroke, Duxbury, Marshfield and Scituate).—*Justice*, Chas. G. Davis; salary, \$1,400. *Special*

Justices, Caleb W. Prouty, Wm. S. Danforth. *Clerk*, Benj. A. Hathaway; salary, \$800.

FOURTH PLYMOUTH (court held at Middleboro' and Wareham; jurisdiction in Middleboro', Wareham, Lakeville, Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester).—*Justice*, Francis M. Vaughn; salary, \$1,200. *Clerk*, Wm. L. Chipman; salary, \$700.

FIRST NORTHERN MIDDLESEX (jurisdiction in Ayer, Groton, Pepperell, Townsend, Ashby, Shirley, Westford, Littleton, Boxborough; court held in Ayer).—*Justice*, Levi Wallace; salary, \$1,000. *Special Justice*, John Spaulding. *Clerk*, Geo. W. Sanderson.

CENTRAL MIDDLESEX (court held at Concord; jurisdiction in Acton, Bedford, Carlisle, Concord, Lincoln, Maynard, Stow and Lexington). *Justice*, John S. Keyes; salary, \$1,200. *Special Justices*, Augustus E. Scott, Chas. Thompson.

EASTERN MIDDLESEX (court held at Malden and Wakefield; jurisdiction in Wilmington, North Reading, Reading, Stoneham, Wakefield, Melrose, Malden, Everett and Medford).—*Justice*, John W. Pettingill; salary, \$2,000. *Special Justices*, Thomas S. Harlow, Solon Baneroft. *Clerk*, Dexter Bucknam; salary, \$1,000.

SOUTHERN MIDDLESEX (court held at South Framingham; jurisdiction in Ashland, Framingham, Holliston, Hopkinton, Natick, Sherborn, Sudbury and Wayland).—*Justice*, C. C. Esty; salary, \$1,600. *Special Justices*, Lucius H. Wakefield, Edwin C. Morse. *Clerk*, Sidney A. Phillips; salary, \$800.

FIRST ESSEX (court held at Salem; jurisdiction in Beverly, Danvers, Hamilton, Middleton, Salem, Topsfield and Wenham).—*Justice*, Joseph B. F. Osgood; salary, \$3,000. *Special Justices*, Daniel E. Safford, Nath'l J. Holden. *Clerk*, Samuel P. Andrews; salary, \$2,500.

FIRST BRISTOL (court held at Taunton; jurisdiction in Taunton, Rehoboth, Berkeley, Dighton, Seekonk, Attleboro', Norton, Mansfield, Easton and Raynham).—*Justice*, Wm. H. Fox; salary, \$2,000. *Special Justices*, Erastus M. Reed, William E. Fuller. *Clerk*, Laurens N. Francis; salary, \$1,200.

SECOND BRISTOL (court held at Fall River; jurisdiction in Fall River, Freetown, Somerset and Swanzy).—*Justice*, Josiah C. Blaisdell; salary, \$2,000. *Special Justices*, Milton Reed, Benj. K. Lovatt. *Clerk*, Augustus B. Leonard; salary, \$1,200.

THIRD BRISTOL (court held at New Bedford; jurisdiction in New Bedford, Fairhaven, Acushnet, Dartmouth and Westport).—*Justice*, Alanson Borden; salary, \$1,800. *Special Justice*, Wm. W. Crapo. *Clerk*, Chas. H. Sanford; salary, \$1,000.

FIRST SOUTHERN WORCESTER (courts held at Southbridge and Webster; jurisdiction in Sturbridge, Southbridge, Charlton, Dudley, Ox-

ford and Webster).—*Justice*, Clark Jillson; salary, \$1,200. *Special Justices*, Frederick W. Botham, William H. Davis.

CENTRAL WORCESTER (jurisdiction in Worcester, Millbury, Sutton, Auburn, Leicester, Paxton, W. Boylston, Boylston, Holden and Shrewsbury; court held in Worcester).—*Justice*, Hartley Williams; salary, \$3,000. *Special Justices*, Samuel Utley, George M. Woodward. *Clerk*, Theodore S. Johnson; salary, \$2,500. Assistant Clerk's salary, \$1,000.

FIRST EASTERN WORCESTER (jurisdiction in Northborough, Southborough, Westborough and Grafton; courts held in Westborough and Grafton).—*Justice*, James W. White; salary, \$800. *Special Justice*, Josiah Childs.

SECOND EASTERN WORCESTER (court held at Clinton; jurisdiction in Clinton, Berlin, Bolton, Harvard, Lancaster and Sterling).—*Justice*, Chas. G. Stevens; salary, \$1,200. *Special Justice*, Christopher E. Stone. *Clerk*, Frank E. Howard; salary, \$600.

SECOND SOUTHERN WORCESTER (jurisdiction in Blackstone, Uxbridge, Douglas and Northbridge; courts held in Blackstone and Uxbridge).—*Justice*, Arthur A. Putnam; salary, \$1,500. *Special Justice*, Zadok A. Taft.

THIRD SOUTHERN WORCESTER (jurisdiction in Milford, Mendon and Upton; court held in Milford).—*Justice*, Charles A. Dewey; salary, \$1,600. *Special Justices*, James R. Davis, Chas. E. Whitney.

EAST NORFOLK (jurisdiction in Randolph, Braintree, Cohasset, Weymouth, Quincy and Holbrook; court held in Quincy).—*Justice*, Everett C. Bumpus; salary, \$1,800. *Special Justices*, Jas. A. Tower, Solomon J. Beal. *Clerk*, J. White Belcher; salary, \$1,000.

EASTERN HAMPDEN (jurisdiction in Palmer, Brimfield, Monson, Holland, Wales and Wilbraham; court held in Palmer).—*Justice*, James G. Allen; salary, \$1,000. *Special Justices*, George Robinson, Ira G. Potter.

District Attorneys.

[Elected by the several Districts for the terms of three years, ending January, 1875.]

NORTHERN DISTRICT.—Middlesex County, Geo. Stevens, of Lowell; salary, \$2,000.

EASTERN DISTRICT.—Essex County, Edgar J. Sherman, of Lawrence; salary, \$2,000.

SOUTHERN DISTRICT.—Bristol, Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket Counties, George Marston, of New Bedford; salary, \$2,000.

SOUTH-EASTERN DISTRICT.—Norfolk and Plymouth Counties, Asa French, of Braintree; salary, \$2,000.

MIDDLE DISTRICT.—Worcester County, Hamilton B. Staples, of Worcester; salary, \$2,000.

WESTERN DISTRICT.—Hampden and Berkshire Counties, E. H. Lathrop, of Springfield; salary, \$2,000.

NORTH-WESTERN DISTRICT.—Hampshire and Franklin Counties, Samuel T. Field, of Shelburne; salary, \$1,500.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.—Oliver Stevens, of Boston; salary, \$5,000. Horace R. Cheney, Assistant-Attorney; salary, \$2,500.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

Sheriffs, Registers of Deeds and County Treasurers, are elected by the people of the several Counties for terms of *three* years. The current triennial term of Sheriffs expires on the first Wednesday of January, 1875, and that of the Registers of Deeds and County Treasurers, in January, 1877. (See page 219.)

Registers of Probate and Insolvency, and Clerks of Courts, are elected for terms of *five* years. The current term of the former expires in January, 1879; that of the latter in 1876.

Registers of Deeds and Clerks of Courts are paid by fees. Sheriffs and County Treasurers are, by Sections 37 and 70 of Chapter 17 of the General Statutes, paid by fixed salaries.

County Commissioners are elected one annually, and severally for terms of *three* years; and two Special Commissioners are elected every third year, the current term ending in December, 1877.

By Section 29 of Chapter 17 of the General Statutes, the County Commissioners and Special Commissioners of the several Counties are paid a gross sum in full for their services and travel, the same to be apportioned to each, according to the number of days' service and actual amount of travel performed by each respectively.

By the provisions of Section 33 of Chapter 120 of the General Statutes, the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Council, is required to designate and commission a certain number of Justices of the Peace, as Trial Justices in the several Counties to try criminal cases. No Justice of the Peace not thus designated and commissioned has any power or authority in criminal cases, except to receive complaints and issue warrants, for which no fees are to be allowed.

By the provisions of Chapter 187 of the Acts of 1860, each Trial Justice holds office for the term of three years from the time of his designation, unless such designation is sooner revoked, or unless his commission as Justice of the Peace shall sooner expire.

BARNSTABLE COUNTY—Incorporated, 1685.

Shire Town, BARNSTABLE.

Salary.

Judge of Probate and Insolvency—Joseph M. Day, Barnstable, \$1,000*Register of Probate and Insolvency*—Ch. Thacher, 2d, Yarmouth, 1,000*Sheriff*—David Bursley, Barnstable, 500*Clerk of Courts*—James B. Crocker, Yarmouth.*County Treasurer*—Charles H. Nye, Chatham, 500*Register of Deeds*—Smith K. Hopkins, Barnstable.*County Commissioners* (compensation, \$1,300),—

Eben S. Whittemore, Sandwich, . Term expires, December, 1875

James S. Howes, Dennis, 1876

Jonathan Higgins, Orleans, 1877

Special Commissioners—

John W. Davis, Provincetown, . Term expires, December, 1877

Watson B. Kelley, Harwich, 1877

Trial Justices—James B. Crocker, Yarmouth; Richard S. Wood, Falmouth; Marshall S. Underwood, Dennis; E. Stowell Whittemore, Sandwich; Theodore F. Basset, Hyannis; Smith K. Hopkins, North Truro; George T. Wyer, Wellfleet; Shubael B. Kelley, Harwich Port; Raymond Ellington, Provincetown.

BERKSHIRE COUNTY—Incorporated, 1761.

Shire Town, PITTSFIELD.

Salary.

Judge of Probate and Insolvency—James T. Robinson, Adams, \$1200*Register of Probate and Insolvency*—A. J. Waterman, Pittsfield, 1,200*Sheriff*—Graham A. Root, Pittsfield, 1,300*Clerk of Courts*—Henry W. Taft, Pittsfield.*County Treasurer*—George J. Tucker, Pittsfield, 1,500*Registers of Deeds*—North District, Herbert A. Fuller, Adams; Middle District, George J. Tucker, Pittsfield; South District, Isaac Seeley, Great Barrington.*County Commissioners* (compensation, \$1,700),—

Justin Dewey, Jr., Gt. Barrington, Term expires, December, 1875

H. H. Richardson, Pittsfield, 1876

Henry J. Bliss, South Adams, 1877

Special Commissioners—

Darius W. Dunham, Washington, Term expires, December, 1877

John S. Lee, Cheshire, 1877

Trial Justices—William S. Tucker, Lenox; William C. Spaulding, West Stockbridge; Henry J. Dunham, Stockbridge.

BRISTOL COUNTY—Incorporated, 1685.

Shire Towns, TAUNTON AND NEW BEDFORD.

Salary.

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| <i>Judge of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Edm'd H. Bennett, Taunton, | \$1,800 |
| <i>Register of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Wm. E. Fuller, Taunton, | 1,800 |
| <i>Sheriff</i> —William S. Cobb, New Bedford, | 1,200 |
| <i>Clerk of Courts</i> —Simeon Borden, Fall River. | |
| <i>County Treasurer</i> —George F. Pratt, Taunton, | 1,500 |
| <i>Registers of Deeds</i> —North District, Joseph E. Wilbar, Taunton; South District, Charles C. Sayer, New Bedford. | |
| <i>County Commissioners</i> (compensation, \$2,500),— | |
| Elisha T. Jackson, Taunton, | Term expires, December, 1875 |
| Elisha Thornton, Jr., New Bedford, " " " | 1876 |
| Guilford H. Hathaway, Fall River, " " " | 1877 |
| <i>Special Commissioners</i> — | |
| George N. Crandall, Attleborough, | Term expires, December, 1877 |
| Daniel J. Lewis, Fairhaven, | " " " 1877 |
| <i>Trial Justices</i> —Albert A. Rotch, Easton; George H. Gifford, Westport; Mason Barney, North Swansea; Henry Rice, North Attleborough. | |

DUKES COUNTY—Incorporated, 1683.

Shire Town, EDGARTOWN.

Salary.

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| <i>Judge of Probate and Insolvency</i> —J. T. Pease, Edgartown, . | \$500 |
| <i>Register of Probate and Insolvency</i> —H. Vincent, Edgartown, | 600 |
| <i>Sheriff</i> —Francis C. Smith, Edgartown, | 400 |
| <i>Clerk of the Courts</i> —Samuel Keniston, Edgartown, | Fees. |
| <i>County Treasurer</i> —Barnard C. Marchant, Edgartown, . . . | 300 |
| <i>Register of Deeds</i> —John S. Smith, Edgartown, | 200 |
| <i>County Commissioners</i> (compensation, \$400),— | |
| John W. Mayhew, Chilmark, | Term expires, December, 1875 |
| David W. Mayhew, Tisbury, | " " " 1876 |
| Shubael Lyman Norton, Edgart'n, " " " | 1877 |
| <i>Special Commissioners</i> — | |
| Abraham Rodman, Gay Head, | Term expires, December, 1877 |
| Frederick S. Allen, Gosnold, | " " " 1877 |
| <i>Trial Justice</i> —Jeremiah Pease, Edgartown. | |

ESSEX COUNTY—Incorporated, 1634.

Shire Towns, SALEM, LAWRENCE AND NEWBURYPORT.

Salary.

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| <i>Judge of Probate and Insolvency</i> —George F. Choate, Salem, . | \$2,500 |
| <i>Register of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Abner C. Goodell, Salem, | 2,000 |

ESSEX COUNTY—Concluded.

| | Salary. |
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| <i>Assistant-Register</i> —E. D. Hines, Danvers; | 1,500 |
| <i>Sheriff</i> —Horatio G. Herrick, Lawrence, | 1,800 |
| <i>Clerk of the Courts</i> —Alfred A. Abbott, Peabody, | " |
| <i>Assistant-Clerk</i> — | 2,100 |
| <i>County Treasurer</i> —Allen W. Dodge, Hamilton, | 1,800 |
| <i>Registers of Deeds</i> —Southern District—Ephraim Brown, Salem; Northern District, Abiel Morrison, Lawrence. | |
| <i>County Commissioners</i> (compensation, \$4,000),— | |
| James Kimball, Salem, Term expires, December, 1875 | |
| Zachariah Graves, Lynn, " " " 1876 | |
| Joseph O. Proctor, Gloucester, " " " 1877 | |
| <i>Special Commissioners</i> — | |
| Aaron Sawyer, Amesbury, Term expires, December, 1877 | |
| Danl. W. Bartlett, Essex, " " " 1877 | |
| <i>Trial Justices</i> —William Fabens, Marblehead; J. Scott Todd, Rowley; Henry Dennis, Rockport; William M. Rogers, Methuen; Orlando B. Tenney, Georgetown; George H. Poor, Andover; George W. Cate, Amesbury; Benjamin C. Perkins, Peabody; Israel W. An- drews, Danvers; Orlando S. Baley, Amesbury. | |

FRANKLIN COUNTY—Incorporated, 1811.

Shire Town, GREENFIELD.

| | Salary. |
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| <i>Judge of Probate and Insolvency</i> —C. C. Conant, Greenfield, \$1,400 | |
| <i>Register of Probate and Insolvency</i> —F. M. Thompson, Greenfield, 1,400 | |
| <i>Sheriff</i> —Solomon C. Wells, Montague, | 850 |
| <i>Clerk of the Courts</i> —Edward E. Lyman, Greenfield. | |
| <i>County Treasurer</i> —Bela Kellogg, Greenfield, | 600 |
| <i>Register of Deeds</i> —Edward Benton, Greenfield. | |
| <i>County Commissioners</i> (compensation, \$1,200),— | |
| Nelson Burrows, Gill, Term expires, December, 1875 | |
| John M. Smith, Sunderland, " " " 1876 | |
| Carlos Batchelder, Conway, " " " 1877 | |
| <i>Special Commissioners</i> — | |
| David L. Smith, Colrain, Term expires, December, 1877 | |
| Beriah W. Fay, New Salem, " " " 1877 | |
| <i>Trial Justices</i> —Wendell T. Davis and Almon Brainard, Greenfield; Hiram Woodward, Orange; Samuel D. Bardwell, Shelburne Falls; Willard Putnam, New Salem; Joseph H. Root, George L. Barton, Montague. | |

HAMPDEN COUNTY—Incorporated, 1812.

Shire Town, SPRINGFIELD.

| | Salary. |
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| <i>Judge of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Wm. B. Shurtleff, Springfield, | \$1,800 |
| <i>Register of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Samuel B. Spooner, Springfield, | 1,600 |
| <i>Sheriff</i> —Addison M. Bradley, | 1,250 |
| <i>Clerk of the Courts</i> —Robert O. Morris, Springfield, | 2,000 |
| <i>County Treasurer</i> —M. Wells Bridge, Springfield, | 1,500 |
| <i>Register of Deeds</i> —James E. Russell, Springfield. | |
| <i>County Commissioners</i> (compensation, \$1,700),— | |
| William M. Lewis, Blandford, Term expires, December, 1875 | |
| Lawson Sibley, Springfield “ “ “ 1876 | |
| John O'Donnell, Holyoke, “ “ “ 1877 | |
| <i>Special Commissioners</i> — | |
| S. C. Spellman, Wilbraham, Term expires, December, 1877 | |
| Roland Parks, Russell, “ “ “ 1877 | |
| <i>Trial Justices</i> —Henry B. Lewis and Homer B. Stevens, Westfield; | |
| James M. Goodwin, West Granville; Daniel Granger, Chester. | |

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY—Incorporated, 1662.

Shire Town, NORTHAMPTON.

| | Salary. |
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| <i>Judge of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Samuel T. Spaulding, | \$1,400 |
| <i>Register of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Luke Lyman, Northampton, | 1,400 |
| <i>Sheriff</i> —Henry A. Longley, Northampton, | 1,000 |
| <i>Clerk of the Courts</i> —W. P. Strickland, Northampton, | 1,600 |
| <i>County Treasurer</i> —Henry S. Gere, Northampton, | 800 |
| <i>Register of Deeds</i> —Henry P. Billings, Hatfield. | |
| <i>County Commissioners</i> — | |
| S. Mills Cook, Granby, Term expires, December, 1875 | |
| Elisha A. Edwards, Southampton, “ “ “ 1876 | |
| Elnathan Graves, Williamsburg, “ “ “ 1877 | |
| <i>Special Commissioners</i> — | |
| S. L. Parsons, Northampton, Term expires, December, 1877 | |
| C. E. Blood, Ware, “ “ “ 1877 | |
| <i>Trial Justices</i> —Franklin D. Richards, Ware; Edward A. Thomas, Amherst; Garry Munson, Huntington; Charles Richards, Enfield; Franklin Dickinson, Belchertown; Oliver Pease, Amherst; Elisha H. Brewster, Worthington; R. Ogden Dwight, South Hadley; A. Perry Peck, Northampton; William G. Bassett, Easthampton; Francis H. Dawes, Cummington. | |

MIDDLESEX COUNTY—Incorporated, 1643.

Shire Towns, CAMBRIDGE (EAST) AND LOWELL.

| | Salary. |
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| <i>Judge of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Geo. M. Brooks, Concord, | \$2,500 |
| <i>Register of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Jos. H. Tyler, East Cambridge, | 2,000 |
| <i>Assistant-Register</i> —Isaac F. Jones, East Cambridge, . . | 1,500 |
| <i>Sheriff</i> —Charles Kimball, Lowell, | 2,200 |
| <i>Clerk of the Courts</i> —Theodore C. Hurd, Framingham, . . | 2,500 |
| <i>Assistant-Clerk</i> —John J. Sawyer, Somerville, | 2,100 |
| <i>County Treasurer</i> —Amos Stone, Charlestown, | 2,000 |
| <i>Registers of Deeds</i> —North District, Joseph P. Thompson, Lowell; South District, Charles B. Stevens, Cambridge. | |
| <i>County Commissioners*</i> (compensation, \$4,800),— | |
| Leonard Huntress, Tewksbury, | Term expires, December, 1875 |
| Daniel G. Walton, Wakefield, | " " " 1876 |
| Harrison Harwood, Natick, | " " " 1877 |
| <i>Special Commissioners</i> — | |
| Lyman Dike, Stoneham, | Term expires, December, 1877 |
| Samuel Staples, Concord, | " " " 1877 |
| <i>Trial Justices</i> —George T. Hyley, Ashland; B. Berkeley Johnson, Waltham; John W. Pettingill and George S. Scammon, Malden; Charles Thompson, Concord; Luther Prescott, Westford; John A. Fitch, Hopkinton; David Heard, Wayland; Stephen W. Trow- bridge, Brighton; George C. Travis, Jr., Holliston; Dexter Buck- nam, Stoneham; George L. Sleeper and Newton Morse, Natick; Colman S. Adams, Framingham; Andrew H. Briggs (Wyoming), Melrose; Leonard Huntress (Special), Tewksbury; James T. Jos- lin, Hudson; Ashahel Balcom, Maynard; Parker L. Converse, Woburn; Ira O. Carter, Arlington; Henderson J. Edwards, Wa- tertown; Joseph Bennett, Brighton; Otis V. Waterman, Wake- field; William F. Slocum, Newton; Nahum Witherbee, Marlboro'. | |

NANTUCKET COUNTY—Incorporated, 1695.

| | Salary. |
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| <i>Judge of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Thaddeus C. Defriez, . . | \$500 |
| <i>Register of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Samuel Swaln, . . . | 600 |
| <i>Sheriff</i> —Edw'd McCleave, | 300 |
| <i>Clerk of the Courts</i> —George W. Jenks. | |

*The jurisdiction of the County Commissioners of Middlesex ex-
tends over Revere and Winthrop, in the county of Suffolk.

NANTUCKET COUNTY—Concluded.

County Treasurer—Samuel Swain.

Register of Deeds—William H. Macy.

Trial Justices—Frederic A. Chase and William H. Waitt.

NOTE.—The Selectmen of the town of Nantucket have the power and perform the duties of County Commissioners. The Treasurer of the Town is also County Treasurer.

NORFOLK COUNTY—Incorporated, 1793.

Shire Town, DEDHAM.

| | Salary. |
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| <i>Judge of Probate and Insolvency</i> —George White, Quincy, . | \$2,000 |
| <i>Register of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Jona. H. Cobb, Dedham, . | 1,500 |
| <i>Assistant-Register</i> —Jona. Cobb, | 1,100 |
| <i>Sheriff</i> —John W. Thomas, Dedham, | 1,200 |
| <i>Clerk of the Courts</i> —Erastus Worthington, Dedham. | |
| <i>Assistant-Clerk</i> —Edgar H. Kingsbury, | 1,500 |
| <i>County Treasurer</i> —Chauncey C. Churchill, Dedham, . . | 1,300 |
| <i>Register of Deeds</i> —John H. Burdakin, Dedham. | |
| <i>County Commissioners</i> (compensation, \$3,000),— | |
| Nathaniel F. Safford, Milton, | Term expires, December, 1875 |
| Galen Orr, Needham, | “ “ “ 1876 |
| James Humphrey, Weymouth, | “ “ “ 1877 |
| <i>Special Commissioners</i> — | |
| J. Q. A. Field, Quincy, | Term expires, December, 1877 |
| George P. Morey, Walpole, | “ “ “ 1877 |
| <i>Trial Justices</i> —Emory Grover, Needham; Charles H. Drew, Brookline; Frederick D. Ely, Dedham; Charles H. Deans, West Medway; Thomas E. Grover, Canton; Henry B. Terry, Hyde Park; Geo. S. Frost, West Roxbury; Samuel Warner, Wrentham; Horace E. Ware, Milton; Geo. W. Wiggin, Franklin; John Merrill Brown, Stoughton. | |

PLYMOUTH COUNTY—Incorporated, 1685.

Shire Town, PLYMOUTH.

| | Salary. |
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| <i>Judge of Probate and Insolvency</i> —Wm. H. Wood, Middleboro', | \$1,500 |
| <i>Register of Probate and Insolvency</i> —D. E. Damon, Plymouth, | 1,500 |
| <i>Sheriff</i> —James Bates, Plymouth, | 900 |
| <i>Clerk of the Courts</i> —William H. Whitman, Plymouth. | |
| <i>County Treasurer</i> —William R. Sever, Plymouth, | 1,000 |
| <i>Register of Deeds</i> —William S. Danforth, Plymouth. | |

PLYMOUTH COUNTY—Concluded.

County Commissioners (compensation, \$2,500),—

Joseph T. Wood, Middleborough, Term expires, December, 1875

William P. Corthell, Abington, 1876

Charles H. Paine, Halifax, 1877

Special Commissioners—

Jedediah Dwelley, Hanover, Term expires, December, 1877

Frederic Howard, Brockton, 1877

Trial Justices—Cornelius B. Wood, Middleborough; William H. Osborne, East Bridgewater; Otis W. Soule, Abington; James S. Lewis, Hingham; Caleb W. Prouty, Scituate; Jonas R. Perkins, Brockton; Seth Miller, Wareham; Arthur Lord, Plymouth.

SUFFOLK COUNTY—Incorporated, 1643.

Salary.

Judge of Probate and Insolvency—Isaac Ames, Boston, . . . \$4,000

Register of Probate and Insolvency—Patrick R. Guiney, Boston, 3,000

Assistant-Register—C. R. Brainard, 1,500

Sheriff—John M. Clark, Boston, 2,500

Clerk of Supreme Judicial Court—George C. Wilde, Boston.

Assistant-Clerk of Supreme Judicial Court—Geo. W. Nichols, Boston, 2,500

Clerk of Superior Court (Civil Side)—Joseph A. Willard, Boston, 2,500

Assistant—Edwin A. Wadleigh.

Clerk of Superior Court (Criminal Side)—John P. Manning, Boston.

City and County Treasurer—Frederic U. Tracy, Boston.

Register of Deeds—Thomas F. Temple, Boston.

NOTE.—In the City of Boston the Board of Aldermen have all the powers and duties of County Commissioners, except in relation to trials by jury and recovery of damages in such trials, in cases of laying out or discontinuing highways and appeals from assessors for abatement of taxes. The Treasurer of the City of Boston is likewise County Treasurer.

WORCESTER COUNTY—Incorporated, 1731.

Shire Towns, WORCESTER AND FITCHBURG.

Salary.

Judge of Probate and Insolvency—Henry Chapin, Worcester, \$2,500

Register of Probate and Insolvency—Charles E. Stevens, Worcester, 2,000

County Officers.—Board of Agriculture. 233

WORCESTER COUNTY—Concluded.

| | Salary. |
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| <i>Assistant-Register</i> —Frederick W. Southwick, Worcester. | |
| <i>Sheriff</i> —Augustus B. R. Sprague, Worcester, | 2,000 |
| <i>Clerk of the Courts</i> —Joseph Mason, Worcester. | |
| <i>Assistant-Clerk</i> —John A. Dana, Worcester, | 2,100 |
| <i>Second Assistant-Clerk</i> —Elliott H. Peabody, Worcester. | |
| <i>Register of Deeds</i> —Alexander H. Wilder, Worcester. | |
| <i>County Treasurer</i> —Charles A. Chase, Worcester, | 1,800 |
| <i>County Commissioners</i> (compensation, \$4,000),— | |
| Velorus Taft, Upton, Term expires, December, 1875 | |
| J. Warren Bigelow, Rutland, “ “ “ “ 1876 | |
| Wm. O. Brown, Fitchburg, “ “ “ “ 1877 | |
| <i>Special Commissioners</i> — | |
| Bethuel Ellis, Winchendon, Term expires, December, 1877 | |
| James R. Davis, Milford, “ “ “ “ 1877 | |
| <i>Trial Justices</i> —Edwin Woods, Barre; J. F. Hitchcock, Warren; Zadoc A. Taft, Uxbridge; Luther Hill, Spencer; James W. White, Grafton; E. Wyman Stone, Templeton; George A. Flagg, Millbury; Henry C. Rice, Worcester; G. Albert Williams, Hardwick; Thomas D. Brooks, Athol; Bethuel Ellis, Winchendon; Thomas E. Glazier, Gardner; Christopher C. Stone, Clinton. | |

BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

[Established by Act of April 21, 1852. See also chap. 220 of Acts of 1863, and chap. 263 of Acts of 1866.]

Members ex officio.

His Excellency William Gaston.
 His Honor Horatio G. Knight.
 Hon. Oliver Warner, *Secretary of the Commonwealth*.
 Hon. William S. Clark, *President Mass. Agricultural College*.
 Charles A. Goessmann, *State Agricultural College*.

Appointed by the Governor and Council.

James F. C. Hyde, of Newton, Term expires, 1875.
 Paul A. Chadbourne, of Williamstown, “ “ 1876.
 Marshall P. Wilder, of Boston, “ “ 1877.

Chosen by the County Societies.

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| Massachusetts, Charles S. Sargent, of Brookline, | Term expires, 1877. |
| Essex, George B. Loring, of Salem, | " " 1878. |
| Middlesex, John B. Moore, of Concord, . . . | " " 1876. |
| " North, Jonathan Ladd, of Lowell, . . | " " 1877. |
| " South, Elijah Perry, of Natick, . . . | " " 1878. |
| Worcester, O. B. Hadwen, of Worcester, . . | " " 1878. |
| " West, A. H. Holland, of Barre, . . . | " " 1878. |
| " North, E. T. Miles, of Fitchburg, . . | " " 1875. |
| " North-west, Courtlon Sanderson, of Phillipston, | " " 1877. |
| " South, Daniel Dwight, of Dudley, . . | " " 1877. |
| " South-east, William Knowlton, of Up- ton, | " " 1876. |
| Hampshire, Franklin and Hampden, Elnathan Graves, of Williamsburg, | " " 1876. |
| Hampshire, Levi P. Warner, of Sunderland, . | " " 1877. |
| Highland, Metcalf J. Smith, of Middlefield, . | " " 1878. |
| Hampden, Horace M. Sessions, of Wilbraham, . | " " 1876. |
| " East, Horace P. Wakefield, of Monson, . | " " 1876. |
| Union, Franklin C. Knox, of Blandford, . . | " " 1877. |
| Franklin, Whitney L. Warner, of Sunderland, . | " " 1877. |
| Deerfield Valley, Roger H. Leavitt, of Charlemont, . | " " 1875. |
| Berkshire, Ensign H. Kellogg, of Pittsfield, . | " " 1876. |
| Hoosac Valley, John M. Cole, of Williamstown, . | " " 1876. |
| Housatonic, Henry S. Goodale, of Mt. Washington, . | " " 1876. |
| Norfolk, Eliphalet Stone, of Dedham, . . . | " " 1877. |
| Hingham, Albert Fearing, of Hingham, . . . | " " 1876. |
| Bristol, Edmund H. Bennett, of Taunton, . . | " " 1878. |
| " Central, John A. Hawes, of Fairhaven, . | " " 1876. |
| Plymouth, Charles G. Davis, of Plymouth, . . | " " 1878. |
| Marshfield, George M. Baker, of Marshfield, . | " " 1876. |
| Barnstable, S. B. Phinney, of Barnstable, . . | " " 1877. |
| Nantucket, Andrew M. Myrick, of Nantucket, . | " " 1876. |
| Martha's Vineyard, Hebron Vincent, of Edgartown . | " " 1877. |

Charles L. Flint, Secretary,

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

[Established by Act of April 20, 1837.]

The Board consists of the Governor and Lieut. Governor, *ex officiis*, and eight members, one to be appointed annually by the Governor and Council.

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| Phillips Brooks, Boston, | . | . | . | . | . | Term expires, 1875. |
| Henry Chapin, Worcester, | . | . | . | . | . | " " 1876. |
| Alonzo A. Miner, Boston, | . | . | . | . | . | " " 1877. |
| Gardiner G. Hubbard, Cambridge, | . | . | . | . | . | " " 1878. |
| William Rice, Springfield, | . | . | . | . | . | " " 1879. |
| C. C. Esty, Framingham, | . | . | . | . | . | " " 1880. |
| Edward B. Gillett, Westfield, | . | . | . | . | . | " " 1881. |
| Rev. Christopher C. Hussey, Billerica, | . | . | . | . | . | " " 1882. |

Joseph White, Secretary and Treasurer. Office in the Library.

Samuel C. Jackson, Assistant-Secretary.

Abner J. Phipps, West Medford, General Agent.

COMMISSIONERS, ETC.

INSURANCE.—Stephen H. Rhodes, Taunton. *Deputy* [Vacancy]. Office, No. 33 Pemberton Square.

BOARD OF STATE CHARITIES.—F. B. Sanborn, Concord, *Chairman*; Samuel G. Howe, Boston; Edward Earle, Worcester; Moses Kimball, Boston; Nathan Allen, Lowell. *Secretary*, Sidney Andrews, Brookline. Office, State House. *General Agent*, Stephen C. Wrightington, Fall River; *Visiting Agent*, Gardiner Tufts, Lynn.

ON PUBLIC LANDS.—Franklin Haven, Boston; E. C. Purdy, Somerville; Samuel D. Warren, Boston.

ON PRISONS.—Stephen Bowles, Springfield, *Chairman*; H. W. B. Wightman, Lowell; Joseph Burnett, Southboro'; Thomas G. Howard, Boston, *Secretary*. Office, State House. *Advisory Board*, Miss Hannah B. Chickering, Dedham; Mrs. Pauline A. Durant, Needham; Mrs. Clara T. Leonard, Springfield.

SAVINGS BANKS.—F. M. Stone, Waltham. Office, State House.

INSPECTOR OF LEATHER.—George C. Hodgdon, Salem.

INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS-METERS.—Charles W. Hinman, Boston.

INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF FISH.—William Cogswell, of Salem.

INSPECTOR OF POT AND PEARL ASHES.—Moody D. Cook, Newburyport.

SURVEYOR-GENERAL OF LUMBER.—George W. Cram, Boston.

ON PILOTS FOR THE PORT OF BOSTON.—Jacob G. Pierce, Milton; Nath'l Spooner, Boston. (Chap. 176, Acts of 1862.)

CATTLE.—Levi Stockbridge, Amherst; Elisha F. Thayer, West Newton.

STATE DIRECTORS OF BOSTON AND ALBANY RAILROAD.—E. P. Carpenter, Foxborough; Moses Kimball, Boston; Joseph H. Chadwick, Boston; Isaac H. Ross, Holden; Wm. H. Murray, Pittsfield.

STATE ASSAYERS OF ORES AND METALS.—Charles T. Jackson, Boston; S. Dana Hayes, Brookline; Augustus A. Hayes, Boston; Stephen P. Sharples, Cambridge.

HARBOR COMMISSIONERS.—Josiah Quincy, Boston, *Chairman*; William T. Grammer, Woburn; F. W. Lincoln, Boston; Joshua N. Marshall, Lowell; Albert Mason, Brookline.

STATE LIQUOR COMMISSIONER.—Marshall S. Underwood, Dennis.

STATE ASSAYER OF LIQUORS.—S. Dana Hayes, Brookline.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS.—Francis M. Johnson, Chas. F. Adams, Jr., Albert D. Briggs. *Clerk*, William A. Crafts. Office, No. 7 Pemberton Square.

INLAND FISHERIES.—Edward A. Brackett, Winchester; Asa French, Braintree; Theodore Lyman, of Brookline.

BOARD OF HEALTH.—Henry I. Bowditch, Boston; Warren Sawyer, Boston; Robert T. Davis, Fall River; Richard Frothingham, Charlestown; David L. Webster, of Boston; John C. Hoadley, of Lawrence; Thos. B. Newhall, of Lynn; Chas. F. Folsom, Boston, *Secretary*.

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS.—Carroll D. Wright, Boston. *Deputy*, George H. Long. Office, 33 Pemberton Square.

COMMISSIONER OF CORPORATIONS.—Daniel A. Gleason. Office, State House.

STATE INSTITUTIONS.

LUNATIC HOSPITALS.

The government of each is vested in a Board of Five Trustees, one to be appointed annually by the Governor and Council, and the place of the senior member, as arranged in the following order, to be vacated each year.

Worcester.

Robert W. Hooper, Boston, 1874; William S. Lincoln, Worcester, 1875; Henry Chapin, Worcester, 1876; John D. Washburn, Worcester, 1877; Jas. B. Thayer, Milton, 1878. •

Superintendent.—Barnard D. Eastman, M.D.

Taunton.

LeBaron Russell, Boston, 1874; Charles R. Atwood, Taunton, 1875; George Howland, Jr., New Bedford, 1876; Oliver Ames, Easton, 1877; Simeon Borden, Fall River, 1878.

Superintendent.—William W. Godding, M.D.

Northampton.

Silas M. Smith, Northampton, 1874; Eliphalet Trask, Springfield, 1875; Henry L. Sabin, Williamstown, 1876; Edmund H. Sawyer, Easthampton, 1877; Edward Hitchcock, Amherst, 1878.

Superintendent.—Pliny Earle, M.D.

STATE REFORM SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

At Westborough.

[Established, 1847.]

The government consists of a Board of Seven Trustees, appointed by the Governor and Council.

Trustees.—Stephen G. Deblois, Boston, 1878; Samuel M. Griggs, Westborough, 1875; Wm. H. Baldwin, of Boston, 1877; Edwin B. Harvey, Westborough, 1875; Lucius W. Pond, Worcester, 1875; Moses H. Sargent, Newton, 1876; Alfred S. Woodworth, Boston, 1876; Eli A. Hubbard, Springfield, 1877.

Superintendent.—Allen G. Shepherd. *Treasurer.*—Samuel M. Griggs.

STATE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

At Lancaster.

[Established, 1855.]

The government is constituted like that of the State Reform School.

Trustees.—Henry C. Greeley, of Clinton, 1878; Anna R. Faulkner, 1876; Joseph A. Allen, of West Newton, 1877; Lewis H. Bradford, Fitchburg, 1878; Albert Tolman, Worcester, 1875; Frank B. Fay, Chelsea, 1876; Robert O. Fuller, Cambridge, 1876; Richard H. Stearns, Boston, 1877; Mary S. Lamson, Winchester, 1877; Mary B. Clafin, Newton, 1875; Mary A. Fay, Worcester, 1876.

Superintendent.—Marcus Ames. *Treasurer.*—Frank B. Fay, Chelsea.

MASSACHUSETTS EYE AND EAR INFIRMARY.

At Boston.

[By Resolves 1872, chap. 28.]

Two Trustees appointed by Governor.

Trustees.—Willard P. Phillips, Salem; Isaac N. Stoddard, Plymouth.

MASSACHUSETTS SCHOOL FOR IDIOTIC AND FEEBLE-MINDED YOUTH.

At South Boston.

Board of Twelve Trustees, six of whom are appointed by the Governor and Council (chap. 150, Acts of 1850, and Resolves, chap. 66, of 1861), viz:—

John Flint, Boston; Chas. H. Waters, Groton; Henry G. Denny, Dorchester; Lewis Allen, Peabody; Edwin Morton, Boston.

Eight additional Trustees are appointed by the Corporation.

PERKINS INSTITUTION AND MASSACHUSETTS ASYLUM FOR THE BLIND.

At South Boston.

Trustees.—Benj. S. Rotch, Boston; Andrew P. Peabody, Cambridge; Francis Brooks, Medford; Solomon H. Howe, Bolton.

STATE PRISON.

At Charlestown.

Three Inspectors; one to be appointed annually, by the Governor and Council, for a term of three years.

Inspectors.—Weston Lewis, Boston, 1875; James Pierce, Malden, 1876; Estes Howe, Cambridge, 1877.

Warden, Samuel E. Chamberlain, appointed December, 1871; *Deputy-Warden*, Almon Hale; *Clerk*, William Peirce; *Physician*, James A. Lattimer, M.D.; *Chaplain*, S. Lewis D. Speare.

Agent for Discharged Convicts.—Daniel Russell.

STATE ALMSHOUSE.

The Board of Inspectors consists of three members; one member to be appointed annually. Salary, \$100 per annum, and travelling expenses.

Tewksbury.

Inspectors.—Geo. P. Elliot, Billerica; Francis H. Nourse, Lowell; Daniel E. Safford, Hamilton.

Superintendent, Thomas J. Marsh; *Physician*, Joseph D. Nichols; *Assistant-Physician*, Helen M. Marsh; *Physician in charge of Insane*, James M. Whittaker.

By chap. 45 of the Acts of 1872, the state almshouses at Bridgewater and Monson were discontinued, and the buildings to be used for the following purposes :—

STATE WORKHOUSE.

At Bridgewater.

Inspectors.—Joshua E. Crane, Bridgewater; J. White Belcher, Randolph, 1877; John B. Hathaway, Fall River.

Superintendent, Nahum Leonard, Jr.; *Physician*, Edward Sawyer.

STATE PRIMARY SCHOOL.

At Monson.

Inspectors.—Eleazer Porter, Hadley, 1875; Lewis N. Gilbert, Ware, 1876; V. B. Holcomb, Chicopee, 1877.

Superintendent and Physician.—Horace P. Wakefield.

COLLEGES IN MASSACHUSETTS,

WITH THEIR PRESIDENTS AND TRUSTEES.

HARVARD COLLEGE.

CORPORATION.

CHARLES W. ELIOT, *President*.*Fellows.*

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| John A. Lowell, | Hon. George T. Bigelow, |
| Rev. George Putnam, | Nathaniel Thayer. |
| Hon. Francis B. Crowninshield, | |
| Hon. Nathaniel Silsbee, <i>Treasurer</i> . | |

BOARD OF OVERSEERS.

Hon. Chas. Francis Adams, *President of the Board*.*Ex Officio Members.*

Charles W. Eliot, *President of the University*.
 Hon. Nathaniel Silsbee, *Treasurer of the University*.

Elective Members.

[Term of office expires, June, 1875.]

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| Rev. Edward E. Hale, | William G. Russell, |
| Hon. Charles F. Adams, | Alexander Agassiz. |
| Hon. William A. Richardson, | |

[Term of office expires, June, 1876.]

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| Rev. James Walker, | Henry W. Paine, |
| John C. Ropes, | Rev. Phillips Brooks. |
| Hon. Martin Brimmer, | |

[Term of office expires, June, 1877.]

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| Hon. R. H. Dana, Jr., | Hon. George S. Hillard, |
| James Lawrence, | Francis Parkman. |
| Hon. Stephen Salisbury, | |

[Term of office expires, June, 1878.]

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| Hon. D. E. Ware, | Edward H. Clarke, M.D., |
| George W. C. Noble, | Rev. Alexander McKenzie. |
| Le Baron Russell, M.D., | |

[Term of office expires, June, 1879.]

Ralph Waldo Emerson,
Henry Lee,
Hon. Francis E. Parker,

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 Hon. Joseph White, *Secretary of the Board of Education*.

VOTE FOR GOVERNOR.

| TOWNS. | Gaston. | Talbot. | TOWNS. | Gaston. | Talbot. |
|-----------------------|---------|---------|-----------------------|---------|---------|
| BARNSTABLE CO. | | | BERKS.—Con. | | |
| Barnstable, . . . | 139 | 223 | Tyringham, . . . | 50 | 51 |
| Brewster, . . . | 22 | 43 | Washington, . . . | 40 | 45 |
| Chatham, . . . | 33 | 59 | W. Stockbridge, . . . | 151 | 102 |
| Dennis, . . . | 34 | 111 | Williamstown, . . . | 151 | 204 |
| Eastham, . . . | 12 | 42 | Windsor, . . . | 43 | 57 |
| Falmouth, . . . | 40 | 172 | | | |
| Harwich, . . . | 33 | 95 | Totals, . . . | 4,783 | 3,878 |
| Mashpee, . . . | 2 | 9 | All others, 2. | | |
| Orleans, . . . | 10 | 106 | | | |
| Provincetown, . . . | 30 | 207 | BRISTOL CO. | | |
| Sandwich, . . . | 123 | 203 | Acushnet, . . . | 35 | 48 |
| Truro, . . . | 4 | 101 | Attleborough, . . . | 327 | 462 |
| Wellfleet, . . . | 27 | 122 | Berkley, . . . | 17 | 87 |
| Yarmouth, . . . | 54 | 114 | Dartmouth, . . . | 72 | 147 |
| | | | Dighton, . . . | 48 | 146 |
| Totals, . . . | 563 | 1,607 | Easton, . . . | 144 | 217 |
| BERKSHIRE CO. | | | Fairhaven, . . . | 138 | 179 |
| Adams, . . . | 614 | 858 | Fall River, . . . | 2,097 | 1,455 |
| Alford, . . . | 69 | 18 | Freetown, . . . | 23 | 105 |
| Becket, . . . | 90 | 83 | Mansfield, . . . | 138 | 219 |
| Cheshire, . . . | 162 | 89 | New Bedford, . . . | 1,677 | 1,601 |
| Clarksburg, . . . | 20 | 53 | Norton, . . . | 52 | 104 |
| Dalton, . . . | 98 | 92 | Raynham, . . . | 53 | 132 |
| Egremont, . . . | 113 | 76 | Rehoboth, . . . | 69 | 112 |
| Florida, . . . | 42 | 43 | Seekonk, . . . | 82 | 78 |
| Gt. Barrington, . . . | 352 | 354 | Somerset, . . . | 62 | 183 |
| Hancock, . . . | 35 | 71 | Swansey, . . . | 57 | 155 |
| Hinsdale, . . . | 141 | 130 | Taunton, . . . | 1,200 | 995 |
| Lanesborough, . . . | 101 | 90 | Westport, . . . | 80 | 288 |
| Lee, . . . | 279 | 239 | | | |
| Lenox, . . . | 200 | 111 | Totals, . . . | 6,371 | 6,713 |
| Monterey, . . . | 62 | 49 | All others, 6. | | |
| Mt. Washington, . . . | 11 | 17 | | | |
| New Ashford, . . . | 27 | 10 | DUKES COUNTY. | | |
| New Marlboro', . . . | 166 | 92 | Chilmark, . . . | 33 | 36 |
| Otis, . . . | 85 | 44 | Edgartown, . . . | 68 | 193 |
| Peru, . . . | 25 | 52 | Gosnold, . . . | 10 | 4 |
| Pittsfield, . . . | 1,051 | 488 | Tisbury, . . . | 79 | 122 |
| Richmond, . . . | 57 | 34 | Gay Head, . . . | - | 20 |
| Sandisfield, . . . | 154 | 23 | | | |
| Savoy, . . . | 47 | 47 | Totals, . . . | 190 | 375 |
| Sheffield, . . . | 177 | 137 | All others, 1. | | |
| Stockbridge, . . . | 170 | 119 | | | |

| TOWNS. | Gaston. | Talbot. | TOWNS. | Gaston. | Talbot. |
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| ESSEX Co. | | | FRANK.—Con. | | |
| Amesbury, . . . | 296 | 374 | Hawley, . . . | 12 | 65 |
| Andover, . . . | 237 | 378 | Heath, . . . | 22 | 69 |
| Beverly, . . . | 240 | 642 | Leverett, . . . | 65 | 47 |
| Boxford, . . . | 29 | 60 | Leyden, . . . | 27 | 34 |
| Bradford, . . . | 129 | 143 | Monroe, . . . | 10 | 13 |
| Danvers, . . . | 207 | 427 | Montague, . . . | 176 | 134 |
| Essex, . . . | 75 | 136 | New Salem, . . . | 54 | 114 |
| Georgetown, . . . | 164 | 180 | Northfield, . . . | 149 | 116 |
| Gloucester, . . . | 711 | 1,113 | Orange, . . . | 195 | 233 |
| Groveland, . . . | 138 | 171 | Rowe, . . . | 3 | 60 |
| Hamilton, . . . | 71 | 61 | Shelburne, . . . | 68 | 161 |
| Haverhill, . . . | 771 | 936 | Shutesbury, . . . | 38 | 47 |
| Ipswich, . . . | 303 | 238 | Sunderland, . . . | 39 | 106 |
| Lawrence, . . . | 2,044 | 1,666 | Warwick, . . . | 64 | 62 |
| Lynn, . . . | 1,824 | 1,852 | Wendell, . . . | 66 | 39 |
| Lynfield, . . . | 31 | 59 | Whately, . . . | 53 | 63 |
| Manchester, . . . | 101 | 122 | | | |
| Marblehead, . . . | 648 | 497 | Totals, . . . | 2,116 | 2,539 |
| Methuen, . . . | 229 | 300 | | | |
| Middleton, . . . | 28 | 52 | HAMPSHIRE Co. | | |
| Nahant, . . . | 68 | 22 | Amherst, . . . | 240 | 327 |
| Newbury, . . . | 56 | 129 | Belchertown, . . . | 181 | 125 |
| Newburyport, . . . | 822 | 795 | Chesterfield, . . . | 57 | 80 |
| North Andover, . . . | 228 | 217 | Cummington, . . . | 70 | 133 |
| Peabody, . . . | 370 | 465 | Easthampton, . . . | 223 | 241 |
| Rockport, . . . | 165 | 546 | Enfield, . . . | 124 | 89 |
| Rowley, . . . | 86 | 43 | Goshen, . . . | 13 | 36 |
| Salem, . . . | 1,539 | 1,653 | Granby, . . . | 50 | 71 |
| Salisbury, . . . | 209 | 342 | Greenwich, . . . | 68 | 53 |
| Saugus, . . . | 174 | 264 | Hadley, . . . | 136 | 158 |
| Swampscott, . . . | 110 | 106 | Hatfield, . . . | 138 | 75 |
| Topsfield, . . . | 64 | 89 | Huntington, . . . | 51 | 56 |
| Wenham, . . . | 31 | 95 | Middlefield, . . . | 10 | 48 |
| W. Newbury, . . . | 76 | 200 | Northampton, . . . | 886 | 451 |
| Totals, . . . | 12,274 | 14,373 | Pelham, . . . | 31 | 54 |
| All others, 89. | | | Plainfield, . . . | 18 | 72 |
| | | | Prescott, . . . | 36 | 27 |
| FRANKLIN Co. | | | South Hadley, . . . | 208 | 178 |
| Ashfield, . . . | 70 | 121 | Southampton, . . . | 43 | 88 |
| Barnardston, . . . | 79 | 79 | Ware, . . . | 274 | 215 |
| Buckland, . . . | 63 | 83 | Westhampton, . . . | 9 | 61 |
| Charlemont, . . . | 14 | 138 | Williamsburg, . . . | 161 | 188 |
| Colrain, . . . | 103 | 134 | Worthington, . . . | 67 | 90 |
| Conway, . . . | 81 | 121 | | | |
| Deerfield, . . . | 228 | 140 | Totals, . . . | 3,094 | 2,916 |
| Erving, . . . | 66 | 73 | All others, 5. | | |
| Gill, . . . | 61 | 59 | HAMPDEN Co. | | |
| Greenfield, . . . | 310 | 228 | Agawam, . . . | 132 | 92 |
| | | | Blandford, . . . | 104 | 57 |

| TOWNS. | Gaston. | Talbot. | TOWNS. | Gaston. | Talbot. |
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| HAMPD.—Con. | | | MIDDLE'X—Con. | | |
| Brimfield, . . . | 121 | 74 | Lowell, . . . | 2,655 | 2,939 |
| Chester, . . . | 112 | 67 | Malden, . . . | 476 | 747 |
| Chicopee, . . . | 648 | 307 | Marlborough, . . . | 499 | 390 |
| Granville, . . . | 124 | 44 | Maynard, . . . | 81 | 84 |
| Holland, . . . | 40 | 14 | Medford, . . . | 545 | 566 |
| Holyoke, . . . | 1,008 | 244 | Melrose, . . . | 239 | 391 |
| Longmeadow, . . . | 55 | 81 | Natick, . . . | 575 | 513 |
| Ludlow, . . . | 53 | 66 | Newton, . . . | 627 | 1,003 |
| Monson, . . . | 170 | 207 | N. Reading, . . . | 38 | 94 |
| Montgomery, . . . | 33 | 23 | Pepperell, . . . | 110 | 116 |
| Palmer, . . . | 272 | 245 | Reading, . . . | 137 | 303 |
| Russell, . . . | 66 | 49 | Sherborn, . . . | 52 | 111 |
| Southwick, . . . | 155 | 44 | Shirley, . . . | 88 | 81 |
| Springfield, . . . | 2,815 | 1,402 | Somerville, . . . | 894 | 942 |
| Tolland, . . . | 52 | 19 | Stoneham, . . . | 381 | 489 |
| Wales, . . . | 40 | 92 | Stow, . . . | 47 | 64 |
| Westfield, . . . | 1,026 | 276 | Sudbury, . . . | 75 | 84 |
| W. Springfield, . . . | 240 | 157 | Tewksbury, . . . | 57 | 97 |
| Wilbraham, . . . | 200 | 209 | Townsend, . . . | 129 | 169 |
| | | | Tyngsborough, . . . | 47 | 50 |
| Totals, . . . | 7,466 | 3,769 | Wakefield, . . . | 389 | 411 |
| | | | Waltham, . . . | 813 | 613 |
| All others, 3. | | | Watertown, . . . | 284 | 387 |
| | | | Wayland, . . . | 147 | 107 |
| MIDDLESEX Co. | | | Westford, . . . | 210 | 144 |
| Acton, . . . | 157 | 112 | Weston, . . . | 28 | 114 |
| Arlington, . . . | 298 | 243 | Wilmington, . . . | 41 | 44 |
| Ashby, . . . | 68 | 110 | Winchester, . . . | 170 | 287 |
| Ashland, . . . | 187 | 181 | Woburn, . . . | 803 | 549 |
| Ayer, . . . | 178 | 113 | | | |
| Bedford, . . . | 59 | 58 | Totals, . . . | 16,876 | 17,527 |
| Belmont, . . . | 146 | 97 | | | |
| Billerica, . . . | 25 | 254 | All others, 28. | | |
| Boxborough, . . . | 41 | 28 | | | |
| Burlington, . . . | 85 | 27 | NANTUCKET Co. | | |
| Cambridge, . . . | 2,819 | 2,061 | Nantucket, . . . | 107 | 353 |
| Carlisle, . . . | 47 | 65 | | | |
| Chelmsford, . . . | 166 | 158 | NORFOLK Co. | | |
| Concord, . . . | 129 | 191 | Bellingham, . . . | 62 | 108 |
| Dracut, . . . | 78 | 113 | Braintree, . . . | 428 | 289 |
| Dunstable, . . . | 57 | 32 | Brookline, . . . | 356 | 334 |
| Everett, . . . | 153 | 249 | Canton, . . . | 328 | 237 |
| Framingham, . . . | 471 | 457 | Cohasset, . . . | 57 | 131 |
| Groton, . . . | 76 | 130 | Dedham, . . . | 361 | 295 |
| Holliston, . . . | 235 | 259 | Dover, . . . | 34 | 24 |
| Hopkinton, . . . | 350 | 235 | Foxborough, . . . | 101 | 185 |
| Hudson, . . . | 160 | 149 | Franklin, . . . | 120 | 146 |
| Lexington, . . . | 183 | 134 | Holbrook, . . . | 92 | 243 |
| Lincoln, . . . | 38 | 85 | Hyde Park, . . . | 261 | 211 |
| Littleton, . . . | 33 | 97 | Medfield, . . . | 74 | 98 |

| TOWNS. | Gaston. | Talbot. | TOWNS. | Gaston. | Talbot. |
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| NORFOLK—Con. | | | SUFFOLK CO. | | |
| Medway, . . . | 180 | 182 | Boston, . . . | 18,813 | 10,726 |
| Milton, . . . | 114 | 151 | Chelsea, . . . | 1,132 | 1,435 |
| Needham, . . . | 101 | 185 | Revere, . . . | 100 | 49 |
| Norfolk, . . . | 27 | 39 | Winthrop, . . . | 54 | 65 |
| Norwood, . . . | 103 | 174 | | | |
| Quincy, . . . | 591 | 489 | Totals, . . . | 20,099 | 12,275 |
| Randolph, . . . | 482 | 203 | | | |
| Sharon, . . . | 88 | 88 | All others, 43. | | |
| Stoughton, . . . | 400 | 253 | | | |
| Walpole, . . . | 114 | 138 | WORCESTER CO. | | |
| Weymouth, . . . | 527 | 678 | Ashburnham, . . . | 154 | 215 |
| Wrentham, . . . | 119 | 91 | Athol, . . . | 311 | 295 |
| Totals, . . . | 5,120 | 4,972 | Auburn, . . . | 44 | 65 |
| All others, 17. | | | Barre, . . . | 201 | 160 |
| | | | Berlin, . . . | 30 | 107 |
| PLYMOUTH CO. | | | Blackstone, . . . | 325 | 145 |
| Abington, . . . | 306 | 532 | Bolton, . . . | 96 | 104 |
| Bridgewater, . . . | 256 | 221 | Boylston, . . . | 18 | 73 |
| Brockton, . . . | 463 | 668 | Brookfield, . . . | 242 | 174 |
| Carver, . . . | 66 | 55 | Charlton, . . . | 93 | 108 |
| Duxbury, . . . | 145 | 175 | Clinton, . . . | 366 | 197 |
| E. Bridgewater, . . . | 136 | 228 | Dana, . . . | 54 | 66 |
| Halifax, . . . | 47 | 52 | Douglas, . . . | 179 | 110 |
| Hanover, . . . | 54 | 110 | Dudley, . . . | 193 | 88 |
| Hanson, . . . | 44 | 68 | Fitchburg, . . . | 967 | 809 |
| Hingham, . . . | 171 | 272 | Gardner, . . . | 337 | 231 |
| Hull, . . . | 10 | 10 | Grafton, . . . | 238 | 210 |
| Kingston, . . . | 110 | 131 | Hardwick, . . . | 85 | 71 |
| Lakeville, . . . | 40 | 47 | Harvard, . . . | 97 | 81 |
| Marion, . . . | 23 | 37 | Holden, . . . | 106 | 127 |
| Marshfield, . . . | 53 | 106 | Hubbardston, . . . | 98 | 98 |
| Mattapoisett, . . . | 37 | 115 | Lancaster, . . . | 165 | 123 |
| Middleborough, . . . | 268 | 306 | Leicester, . . . | 160 | 134 |
| Pembroke, . . . | 58 | 72 | Leominster, . . . | 246 | 566 |
| Plymouth, . . . | 300 | 372 | Lunenburg, . . . | 35 | 83 |
| Plympton, . . . | 76 | 53 | Mendon, . . . | 57 | 66 |
| Rochester, . . . | 59 | 55 | Millford, . . . | 637 | 521 |
| Rockland, . . . | 286 | 300 | Millbury, . . . | 242 | 266 |
| Scituate, . . . | 95 | 158 | New Braintree, . . . | 48 | 53 |
| South Scituate, . . . | 81 | 148 | Northborough, . . . | 74 | 127 |
| Wareham, . . . | 152 | 115 | Northbridge, . . . | 240 | 211 |
| W. Bridgewater, . . . | 68 | 94 | N. Brookfield, . . . | 283 | 222 |
| Totals, . . . | 3,404 | 4,500 | Oakham, . . . | 61 | 73 |
| All others, 55. | | | Oxford, . . . | 253 | 216 |
| | | | Paxton, . . . | 31 | 51 |
| | | | Petersham, . . . | 90 | 74 |
| | | | Phillipston, . . . | 29 | 78 |
| | | | Princeton, . . . | 47 | 77 |

| TOWNS. | Gaston. | Talbot. | TOWNS. | Gaston. | Talbot. |
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| WOR'STER—Con. | | | WOR'STER—Con. | | |
| Royalston, . . . | 51 | 128 | Warren, . . . | 183 | 159 |
| Rutland, . . . | 50 | 76 | Webster, . . . | 390 | 283 |
| Shrewsbury, . . . | 87 | 148 | Westborough, . . . | 219 | 353 |
| Southborough, . . . | 49 | 114 | W. Boylston, . . . | 99 | 213 |
| Southbridge, . . . | 305 | 308 | W. Brookfield, . . . | 143 | 128 |
| Spencer, . . . | 174 | 235 | Westminster, . . . | 106 | 169 |
| Sterling, . . . | 159 | 123 | Winchendon, . . . | 171 | 292 |
| Sturbridge, . . . | 148 | 161 | Worcester, . . . | 4,041 | 3,547 |
| Sutton, . . . | 181 | 129 | | | |
| Templeton, . . . | 181 | 202 | Totals, . . . | 13,913 | 13,547 |
| Upton, . . . | 88 | 150 | | | |
| Uxbridge, . . . | 156 | 154 | All others, 21. | | |

THE VOTE BY COUNTIES.

| COUNTIES. | Gaston. | Talbot. | All others. |
|-----------------------|---------|---------|-------------|
| Barnstable, | 563 | 1,607 | — |
| Berkshire, | 4,783 | 3,878 | 2 |
| Bristol, | 6,371 | 6,713 | 6 |
| Dukes, | 190 | 375 | 1 |
| Essex, | 12,274 | 14,373 | 89 |
| Franklin, | 2,116 | 2,539 | — |
| Hampshire, | 3,094 | 2,916 | 5 |
| Hampden, | 7,466 | 3,769 | 3 |
| Middlesex, | 16,876 | 17,527 | 28 |
| Nantucket, | 107 | 353 | — |
| Norfolk, | 5,120 | 4,972 | 17 |
| Plymouth, | 3,404 | 4,500 | 55 |
| Suffolk, | 20,099 | 12,275 | 43 |
| Worcester, | 13,913 | 13,547 | 21 |
| Totals, | 96,376 | 89,344 | 270 |

FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

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|------------------------------|--------|
| Horatio G. Knight, | 99,151 |
| William L. Smith, | 87,138 |
| All others, | 210 |

FOR SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

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|------------------------------|---------|
| Oliver Warner, | 104,465 |
| Benjamin F. Mills, | 82,026 |
| All others, | 212 |

FOR TREASURER AND RECEIVER-GENERAL.

| | |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| Charles Adams, Jr., | 103,529 |
| Nathan Clark, | 82,187 |
| Charles Endicott, | 891 |
| All others, | 203 |

FOR AUDITOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

| | |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| Charles Endicott, | 103,454 |
| C. Osgood Morse, | 80,666 |
| Waldo Colburn, | 887 |
| Charles Adams, | 805 |
| All others, | 480 |

FOR ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

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|-----------------------------|---------|
| Charles R. Train, | 103,971 |
| Waldo Colburn, | 81,395 |
| Osgood Morse, | 1,067 |
| All others, | 313 |

FOR EXECUTIVE COUNCILLORS.

District No. 1.

| | |
|---|-------|
| Alfred Macy, of Nantucket,* | 8,887 |
| Sylvanus B. Phinney, of Barnstable, | 5,580 |
| Seth Turner, of Randolph, | 306 |
| Peter Butler, of Quincy, | 205 |
| All others, | 3 |

District No. 2.

| | |
|---|--------|
| Seth Turner, of Randolph, | 11,823 |
| Peter Butler, of Quincy, | 7,984 |
| Alfred Macy, of Nantucket, | 320 |
| S. B. Phinney, of Barnstable, | 144 |
| All others, | 59 |

District No. 3.

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| Alden Leland, of Holliston, | 12,784 |
| Jonathan H. Woods, of Grafton, | 11,897 |
| All others, | 9 |

* Deceased Dec. 23d, 1874.

250 *Vote for Members of Congress—1874.*

District No. 4.

| | |
|---|-------|
| Edward H. Dunn, of Boston, | 8,936 |
| Leonard R. Cutter, of Boston, | 7,519 |
| Leopold Morse, of Boston, | 520 |
| All others, | 19 |

District No. 5.

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|---|--------|
| Robert Couch, of Newburyport, | 15,701 |
| John S. Glover, of Ipswich, | 10,938 |
| All others, | 4 |

District No. 6.

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|---|--------|
| George O. Brastow, of Somerville, | 16,174 |
| Alonzo V. Lynde, of Melrose, | 12,543 |
| All others, | 8 |

District No. 7.

| | |
|---|--------|
| George Whitney, of Royalston, | 14,864 |
| Isaac Davis, of Worcester, | 12,413 |

District No. 8.

| | |
|---|--------|
| Elisha H. Brewster, of Worthington, | 13,824 |
| Harvey Arnold, of Adams, | 12,329 |
| All others, | 124 |

FOR MEMBERS OF FORTY-FOURTH CONGRESS.

District No. 1.

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| James Buffinton, | 9,927 |
| Louis Lapham, | 4,171 |
| Robert C. Pitman, | 315 |
| All others, | 21 |

District No. 2.

| | |
|-------------------------------|-------|
| Benjamin W. Harris, | 9,651 |
| Edward Avery, | 6,688 |
| All others, | 14 |

District No. 3.

| | |
|----------------------------|-------|
| Henry L. Pierce, | 8,011 |
| Benjamin Dean, | 4,927 |
| All others, | 6 |

District No. 4.

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------|
| Rufus S. Frost, | 6,721 |
| Josiah G. Abbott, | 6,511 |
| All others, | 55 |

District No. 5.

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|-------------------------------|--------|
| Nathaniel P. Banks, | 13,438 |
| Daniel W. Gooch, | 7,263 |
| All others, | 26 |

District No. 6.

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|--------------------------------|-------|
| Charles P. Thompson, | 8,716 |
| Benjamin F. Butler, | 7,747 |
| All others, | 66 |

District No. 7.

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|---------------------------|-------|
| John K. Tarbox, | 8,979 |
| James C. Ayer, | 7,415 |
| All others, | 79 |

District No. 8.

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|------------------------------|-------|
| William W. Warren, | 8,585 |
| J. M. S. Williams, | 7,861 |
| All others, | 56 |

District No. 9.

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|---------------------------|-------|
| George F. Hoar, | 9,423 |
| Eli Thayer, | 8,961 |
| All others, | 8 |

District No. 10.

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| Julius H. Seelye, | 7,773 |
| Charles A. Stevens, | 7,353 |
| Henry C. Hill, | 3,474 |
| All others, | 18 |

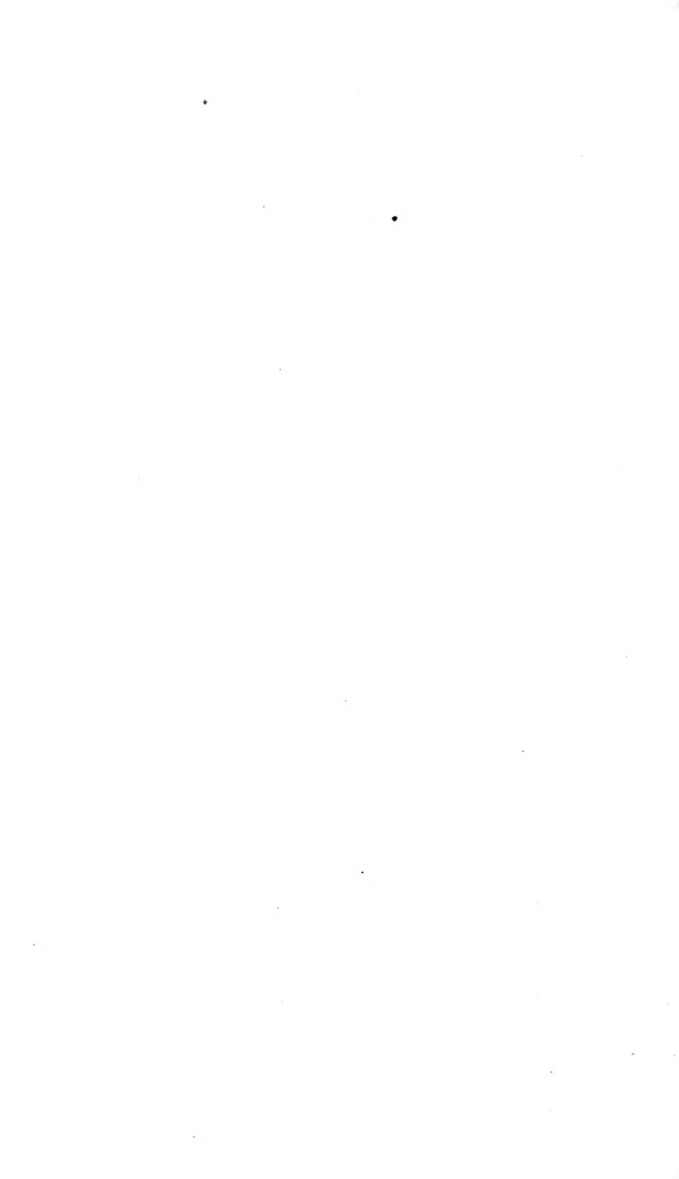
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RULES AND ORDERS

OF

THE SENATE.



RULES AND ORDERS OF THE SENATE.

Of the Duties and Powers of the President.

RULE 1. To call the members to order and cause the journal of the preceding day to be read.

RULE 2. To preserve order and decorum—To speak to points of order in preference to other members—To decide all questions of order, subject to appeal—To rise in putting a question, etc., but may read sitting.

RULE 3. To declare all votes; if doubted, a return to be ordered.

RULE 4. The President may vote on all questions.

RULE 5. President to order the Yeas and Nays if one-fifth of the members present require them.

RULE 6. Concerning motions when a question is under debate, and the precedence thereof.

RULE 7. Motions undebatable.

RULE 8. President to name who may speak, when two or more members rise at once.

RULE 9. President may name member to take his place—Limitation thereof.

RULE 10. In absence of President, the senior member present to call the Senate to order—The election of a President *pro tem.* to be the first business.

Of the Rights, Duties and Decorum of Members.

RULE 11. Members, when speaking, to address the President.

RULE 12. Limitation as to speaking.

RULE 13. Members not to interrupt another, except, etc.

RULE 14. Members not to speak on a question after it is put to vote.

RULE 15. Concerning the presentation of petitions, etc.

RULE 16. All motions to be reduced to writing, if the President so direct.

RULE 17. Concerning the reconsideration of votes.

RULE 18. Bills, etc., to remain in Clerk's possession until the right of reconsideration has expired.

RULE 19. Division of a question to be made if desired—Motion to strike out and insert.

RULE 20. Unfinished business to have the preference.

RULE 21. Members not to vote on questions where their private rights are concerned, distinct from the public interest.

RULE 22. Members not to absent themselves without leave, unless, etc.

RULE 23. Concerning the Yeas and Nays.

Of Committees.

RULE 24. Requiring statements to be made to Committees relative to proposed alteration of laws.

RULE 25. List of Standing Committees.

RULE 26. Committees to be appointed by the President, unless, etc.—First named to be Chairman—Substitute to hold the same rank as the original member—In elections, the person having the highest number of votes to be Chairman.

RULE 27. Order of question when motion is made to commit.

RULE 28. Reports of Committees not proposing final action, and of Committees of Conference, to be made the order of the day for the succeeding day.

RULE 29. No other than Joint or Special Committees to occupy the Senate Chamber without leave.

Of Bills and Resolves.

RULE 30. Concerning reports on petitions, notice of the presentation of which has not been published.

RULE 31. Restrictions on introduction of.

RULE 32. Bills and resolves, how to be written—not to be introduced by a member without leave—When introduced, on leave, to be committed before second reading.

RULE 33. Bills, etc., from the House, to be committed, unless reported by a joint committee.

RULE 34. Bills, etc., not to be engrossed without three readings—Bills in the second and third readings to be made the order of the day for the succeeding day—Matters passed over, how disposed of.

RULE 35. Bills and resolves involving expenditure of money to be referred to the Committee on the Treasury.

RULE 36. Bills, etc., in their third reading to be committed for examination.

RULE 37. Engrossed bills, etc., to be committed for examination—Bills reported as rightly and truly engrossed not to be again read, unless, etc.

RULE 38. No engrossed bill to be amended except by unanimous consent.

RULE 39. No rejected measure to be revived—This rule to apply to House as well as Senate measures.

Elections by Ballot.

RULE 40. Elections by ballot—time to be assigned therefor.

Senate Library.

RULE 41. Books to be in care of the Clerk—Clerk to keep account of all books delivered.

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RULE 42. Reporters—seats for, to be numbered and assigned by lot.

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RULE 43. Seats not to be occupied by persons other than members.

RULE 44. Regulations respecting admission of persons to Senate Chamber and rooms adjoining.

RULE 45. Cushing's Manual and Cushing's Law and Practice to govern when not inconsistent with Rules and Orders.

RULE 46. Concerning the alteration, rescinding, etc., of rules.

RULES AND ORDERS.

[The dates under each Rule indicate the years of their adoption, and amendments thereto.

The date 1817 denotes the time that the several rules, against which it is placed, were first preserved, as, previous to that year, they are not to be found, although, from the Senate journal, it appears that they were printed.

Rule 32 was adopted in 1825. If any others were adopted between 1821 and '26, no record can be found.

Numbers enclosed in brackets indicate corresponding Rules of the House.]

Of the Duties and Powers of the President.

RULE 1. [1.] The President shall take the chair every day at the hour to which the Senate shall have adjourned,

shall call the members to order, and on the appearance of a quorum shall proceed to business.

[1831.]

RULE 2. [2, 5.] He shall preserve order and decorum, may speak to points of order in preference to other members, and shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal. He shall rise to put a question, or to address the Senate, but may read sitting.

[1817; between 1821 and '26; 1831.]

RULE 3. [3, 64.] He shall declare all votes; but if any member rises to doubt a vote, the President shall order a return of the number voting in the affirmative, and in the negative, without further debate.

[1831.]

RULE 4. [4.] The President may vote on all questions.

[1826.]

RULE 5. [66.] When any member shall move that any question be taken by yeas and nays, the President shall take the sense of the Senate in that manner, provided one-fifth of the members present shall so direct.

[1817; 1852.]

RULE 6. [78.] When a question is under debate, the President shall receive no motion but to *adjourn*, to *proceed to the consideration of the special assignment*, to *lay on the table*, to *postpone to a day certain*, to *commit*, to *amend*, to *refer to the next General Court*, or to *postpone indefinitely*, which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they stand arranged.

[Between 1821 and '26; 1831; 1844; 1870.]

RULE 7. [67, 77.] The motions to adjourn, to lay on the table, to take from the table, and for the yeas and nays, shall be decided without debate.

[1817; 1859; 1870; 1874.]

RULE 8. [72.] When two or more members rise at once, the President shall designate which of these shall be entitled to the floor.

[1831.]

RULE 9. [7.] The President shall have the right to appoint a member to perform the duties of the chair, but such appointment shall not extend beyond three days.

[1831; 1862; 1865.]

RULE 10. [8.] In case of a vacancy in the office of President, or in case the President, or the member substituted by him in accordance with Rule No. 9, shall be absent at the hour designated in Rule No. 1, the senior member present shall call the Senate to order, and shall preside until a President or a President *pro tempore* shall be elected by ballot, which shall be the first business of the Senate.

[1831.]

Of the Rights, Duties and Decorum of Members.

RULE 11. [71.] Every member, when he speaks, shall stand in his place, and address the President.

[1817; 1831; 1871.]

RULE 12. [74.] No member shall speak more than once on one question, to the prevention of any other who has not spoken and is desirous to speak, nor more than twice without obtaining leave of the Senate.

[1817.]

RULE 13. [73.] No member speaking shall be interrupted by another but by rising to call to order.

[1817; 1831.]

RULE 14. After a question is put to a vote, no member shall speak to it.

[1817.]

RULE 15. [35.] Every member presenting a Petition, Memorial or Remonstrance, shall indorse his name thereon, and, in the filing thereof, state briefly the nature and object of the instrument, and the reading of the same shall be dispensed with, unless specially ordered by the Senate.

[1831.]

RULE 16. [75.] Any motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President so direct.

[1817; 1844; 1871.]

RULE 17. [68, 69.] When a vote has passed, except on motions specified in Rule 7, it shall be in order for any member to move a reconsideration thereof on the same or the succeeding day, and such motion, if made on the same day, shall be placed first in the Orders of the Day, for the day succeeding that on which it is made; but if first moved on such succeeding day it shall be forthwith considered; and when a motion for reconsideration is decided, that vote shall not be reconsidered: *provided, however*, that a motion to reconsider a vote, upon any collateral matter, shall not remove the main subject under consideration from before the Senate, but shall be considered at the time when it is made.

[1817; between 1821 and '26; 1858.]

RULE 18. [15.] Bills, resolves and other papers, in reference to which any member has a right to move a reconsideration, (except petitions, enacted bills, orders of inquiry and orders of notice,) shall remain in the possession of the Clerk until the right of reconsideration has expired; provided that the operation of this rule shall be suspended during the last week of the session.

[1855; 1856; 1875.]

RULE 19. [89.] A question containing two or more propositions, capable of division, shall be divided whenever desired by any member. A motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed indivisible. But a motion to strike out, being lost, shall neither preclude amendment nor a motion to strike out and insert.

[1817; 1841.]

RULE 20. [58.] The unfinished business in which the Senate was engaged at the time of the last adjournment, shall have the preference in the Orders of the Day, next after motions to reconsider.

[1830; 1870.]

RULE 21. [61.] No member shall be permitted to vote or serve on any committee on a question where his private right is immediately concerned, distinct from the public interest.

[1855.]

RULE 22. No member shall absent himself from the Senate without leave, unless there be a quorum without his presence.

[1817.]

RULE 23. [62, 66.] Whenever a question shall be taken by yeas and nays, the Clerk shall call the names

of all the members, except the President, in alphabetical order, and every member present shall answer to his name, unless excused before the vote is taken; and no member shall be permitted to vote after the decision is announced from the chair.

[1837; 1844.]

Of Committees.

RULE 24. [38.] It shall be the duty of every member of the Senate, who moves that any Standing Committee be instructed to inquire into the expediency of amending an existing law, to point out to such Committee, in writing, the amendment which he deems expedient, and to furnish a written statement of the facts and authorities in favor thereof to such Committee, if by them required.

[1858.]

RULE 25. [21.] The following Standing Committees shall be appointed at the commencement of the first session, to wit:—

A Committee on the Judiciary;

A Committee on Bills in the Third Reading;

And each of these Committees shall consist of five members.

A Committee on Matters of Probate and Chancery;

A Committee on the Treasury;

A Committee on Printing;

A Committee on Engrossed Bills;

A Committee on Leave of Absence;

And each of these Committees shall consist of three members.

[1831; 1836; 1840; 1844; 1847; 1863; 1864; 1870.]

RULE 26. [22, 23.] All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise specially directed by the Senate, and the person first named shall be Chairman. In

all elections of Committees by ballot, the person having the highest number of votes shall act as Chairman.

[1817 ; between 1821 and '26 ; 1831.]

RULE 27. [86.] When a motion is made to commit any subject, and different Committees shall be proposed, the question shall be taken in the following order: A Standing Committee of the Senate—a Select Committee of the Senate—a Joint Standing Committee—a Joint Select Committee.

[1844.]

RULE 28. [55.] Reports of Committees, except such as do not propose final action, and Reports of Committees of Conference, shall, unless otherwise specially ordered, be placed in the Orders of the Day next succeeding that on which they shall be presented to the Senate.

[1845 ; 1853.]

RULE 29. [98.] No Committee shall be allowed to occupy the Senate Chamber without leave of the Senate.

[1836 ; 1863.]

RULE 30. [30.] No bill or resolve affecting the rights of individuals, or private or municipal corporations, or the Commonwealth, shall be reported to the Senate by any Committee, unless it shall be made to appear, to the satisfaction of the Committee, that notice had been given in the manner provided by law ; or unless such notice as the Committee shall direct shall have been given, and proper proof of the same placed before the Committee ; or unless, in the judgment of the Committee, no notice to the parties or the public is necessary.

[1870.]

RULE 31. [46.] No bill affecting directly the legal rights of individuals or corporations, otherwise than as it affects generally the interests of the whole people of the Commonwealth, or the cities or towns to which it specifically applies, shall be proposed or introduced, by amendment or otherwise, except by report of a Committee, upon petition duly presented and referred.

[1875.]

Of Bills and Resolves.

RULE 32. [40, 45.] All bills and resolves shall be written in a fair, round hand, without interlineations, on not less than one sheet of paper, with suitable margins and spaces between the several sections or resolves. No bill or resolve shall be introduced by a member without special leave; and all bills and resolves, when so introduced, shall be committed before they are passed to a second reading.

[1844; 1857.]

RULE 33. [43.] All bills and resolves from the House of Representatives, after they are read a first time, shall be committed to a committee of the Senate, except when said bills or resolves shall have been reported by a joint committee.

[1825.]

RULE 34. [49, 56, 57.] No bill or resolve, or substitute therefor, shall pass to be engrossed without three readings on three several days; bills and resolves in the first reading shall be read by their titles, unless otherwise ordered, and bills and resolves in the second and third readings shall be made the order of the day for the day next succeeding that on which leave shall have been given to read them a second or third time, and

the President shall order them accordingly. After being placed in the Orders of the Day they shall be disposed of in course; and matters passed over in the Orders of the Day shall go to the foot of the list, and shall not be considered till the next day.

[1817; 1836; 1841; 1859.]

RULE 35. [42.] All bills and resolves involving the expenditure of public money, shall, after the first reading, be referred in course to the Committee on the Treasury, whose duty it shall be to report on their relation to the finances of the Commonwealth.

[1871.]

RULE 36. [27.] All bills and resolves in the third reading shall be committed to the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, whose duty it shall be to ascertain their relations to the Constitution, and any existing laws upon the same subject-matter, and to see that all such bills and resolves are correct in form.

[1817; 1836.]

RULE 37. [28, 50, 52.] All engrossed bills and resolves shall be committed to the Standing Committee on Engrossed Bills, whose duty it shall be carefully to compare the same with the bill as passed to be engrossed, and if found by them to be rightly and truly engrossed, they shall so indorse on the envelope thereof, and the final question shall be taken thereon without any further reading, unless, on motion of any member, a majority of the Senate shall be in favor of reading the same as engrossed.

[1817; 1831.]

RULE 38. [51.] No engrossed bill or resolve shall be amended.

[1837.]

RULE 39. [47.] When any measure shall be finally rejected, it shall not be revived except by reconsideration, and no measure *substantially* the same shall be introduced during the session; and this Rule shall apply as well to measures originating in the House as to those originating in the Senate.

[1817—dispensed with in 1831, and revived in 1838—
amended in 1841; 1844.]

Elections by Ballot.

RULE 40. [94.] In all elections by ballot, a time shall be assigned for such election, at least one day previous thereto.

[1831.]

Senate Library.

RULE 41. The books belonging to the Senate Chamber shall be in the care of the Clerk, who shall keep an accurate list thereof; and no book shall be taken from the Senate Chamber by any person without giving notice thereof to the Clerk, who shall enter, in a book to be kept by him, the name of the book, and the name of the person taking the same.

[1837.]

Reporters.

RULE 42. Seats for reporters shall be numbered, and assigned by lot, under the direction of the Clerk of the Senate.

[1847.]

General Rules.

RULE 43. [97.] No person not a member of the Senate shall be allowed to sit at the Senate table while the Senate is in session.

[1853.]

RULE 44. No person other than members of the legislative and executive departments of the State government, and past members of the Senate, shall be allowed to be present in the Clerk's room, or the room intervening between that and the Senate Chamber, while the Senate is in session, or during the half hour immediately preceding and following any session.

[1870 ; 1875.]

RULE 45. [99.] The Rules of Parliamentary Practice comprised in Cushing's Manual, and the principles of parliamentary law set forth in Cushing's larger work, shall govern the Senate in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the Standing Rules and Orders of the Senate, or the Joint Rules of the two branches of the legislature.

[1847 ; 1858.]

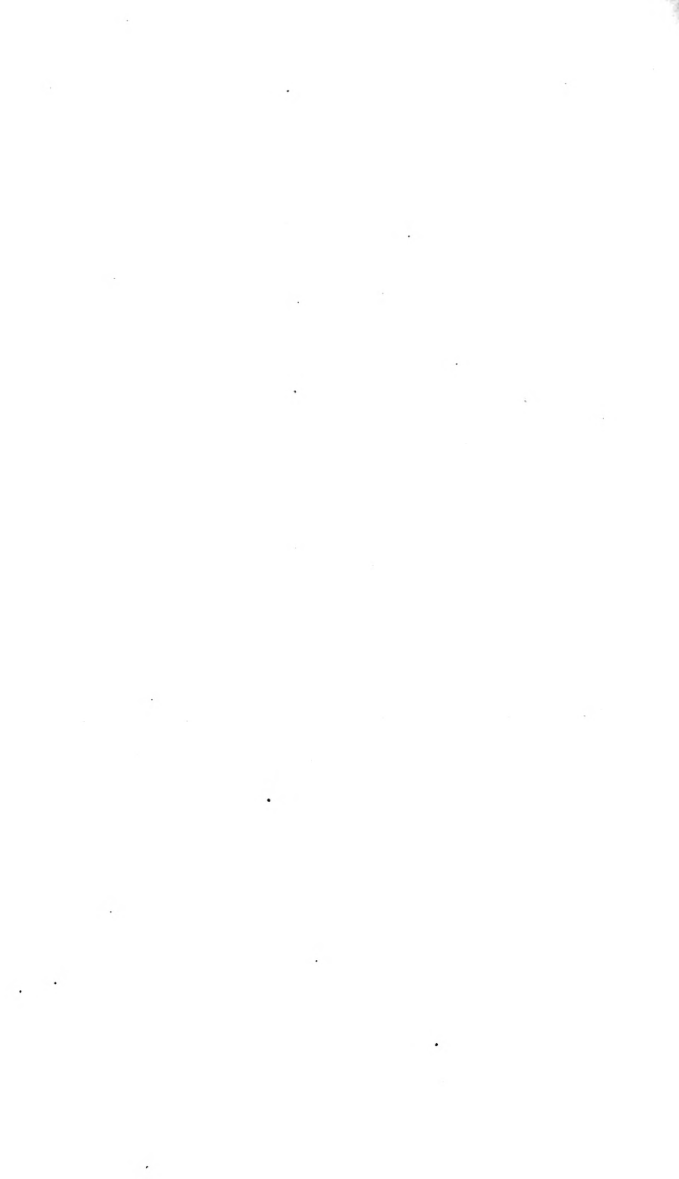
RULE 46. [100.] Any Rule or Order, except the *thirty-sixth*, may be altered, suspended or rescinded, two-thirds of the members present consenting thereto.

[1817 ; 1841 ; 1843.]

RULES AND ORDERS

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THE SPEAKER.

1. The Speaker shall take the chair at the hour to which the House stands adjourned, call the members to order, and on the appearance of a quorum proceed to business.

2. He shall preserve decorum and order; may speak to points of order in preference to other members; and shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the House.

[With regard to appeals, see Rules 81 and 92.]

3. He shall declare all votes, subject to verification as hereinafter provided.

[See Rules 63 to 67.]

4. In all cases he may vote.

5. He shall rise to put a question, or to address the House, but may read sitting.

6. He shall each day examine the journal of the House.

7. He may name a member to perform the duties of the chair for a period not exceeding two days at one time.

8. In case of a vacancy in the office of Speaker, or in case the Speaker or the member named by him in accordance with the preceding rule, is absent at the hour to which the House stands adjourned, the senior monitor present shall call the House to order, and shall preside until a Speaker pro tempore or a Speaker is elected by ballot, which shall be the first business in order. -

MONITORS.

9. Two monitors shall be appointed by the Speaker for each division of the House, whose duty it shall be to see to the due observance of the Rules and Orders, and on request of the Speaker to return the number of votes and members in their respective divisions.

10. If a member transgress any of the Rules and Orders after being notified thereof by a monitor, it shall be the duty of such monitor to report the case to the House.

[For duty of monitor in case of the absence of the Speaker, see Rule 8.] [See Rule 20.]

CLERK.

11. The Clerk shall keep the journal of the House. He shall enter therein a record of each day's proceedings and submit it to the Speaker before the hour fixed for the next sitting.

12. Every question of order shall be noted in the journal, and with the decision shall be entered at large in

an appendix which shall also contain the Rules and Orders of the House, and of the two branches.

13. The Clerk shall prepare and cause to be printed each day a calendar of matters in order for consideration ; followed by a brief minute of the preliminary proceedings of the previous day ; a list of matters lying on the table ; and such other memoranda as the House or the Speaker may direct.

14. Any objection to the calendar shall be made and disposed of before the House votes to proceed to the consideration of the Orders of the Day.

15. The Clerk shall retain bills and other papers, in reference to which any member has a right to move a reconsideration (except petitions, enacted bills, orders of inquiry and orders of notice), until the right of reconsideration has expired : *provided*, that the operation of this rule shall be suspended during the last week of the session.

MEMBERS.

16. No member shall stand up, to the inconvenience of others, while a member is speaking ; or pass unnecessarily between the Speaker of the House and the member speaking ; or stand in the passages, or in the area in front of the chair.

17. No member shall be absent more than two days without leave of the House.

18. No member shall absent himself from the House without leave, unless there be a quorum without his presence.

19. Papers in possession of a member obtaining leave of absence, or at the end of the session, shall be left by him with the Clerk.

20. If a member is guilty of a breach of any of the Rules and Orders, he may be required by the House on motion to make satisfaction therefor, and, until he has done so, he shall not be allowed to vote or speak, except by way of excuse.

[See Rule 10.]

COMMITTEES.

21. At the beginning of the political year, eleven Standing Committees, to consist of seven members each, shall be appointed, as follows:—

A Committee on the Judiciary;

A Committee on Matters of Probate and Chancery;

A Committee on Finance;

A Committee on Elections;

A Committee on Bills in the Third Reading;

A Committee on Engrossed Bills;

A Committee on County Estimates;

A Committee on the Pay Roll;

A Committee on Leave of Absence;

A Committee on Public Buildings;

A Committee on Printing.

22. Unless other provision is made in any case, all committees shall be appointed by the Speaker, and the member first named shall be chairman.

23. In case of the election of a committee by ballot, the member having the highest number of votes shall be chairman.

24. No member shall be required to be on more than two committees at the same time, nor chairman of more than one.

25. No member shall serve on any committee in any

question where his private right is immediately concerned distinct from the public interest.

26. The Committee on Finance shall report in appropriation bills, only such items of expenditure as are authorized by law, or such as the committee has been directed by the House to insert.

27. The Committee on Bills in the Third Reading shall examine and correct the bills which are referred to it, for the purpose of avoiding repetitions and unconstitutional provisions, insuring accuracy in the text and references, and consistency with the language of existing statutes: *provided*, that any change in the sense or legal effect shall be reported as an amendment.

28. The Committee on Engrossed Bills shall carefully examine and compare engrossed bills, and report them rightly and truly engrossed, when found to be so, without delay.

29. When the object of an application, whether by petition, order, or bill introduced on leave, can be secured without a special act under existing general laws, the committee to which the matter is referred shall report leave to withdraw, inexpedient to legislate, or ought not to pass, as the case may be.

30. No bill affecting the rights of individuals or private or municipal corporations shall be reported by a committee, unless notice has been given to all parties interested, by public advertisement or otherwise, without expense to the Commonwealth; or unless satisfactory evidence is produced that the parties interested have either received notice in writing, or have in writing waived notice.

31. On or before the twenty-second day of March, committees shall make final report upon matters referred to them prior to that day, unless further time is granted, for cause.

Committee of the Whole.

32. When the House determines to go into a committee of the whole, the chairman shall be appointed by the Speaker.

33. The rules of the House shall be observed in a committee of the whole, so far as they may be applicable, except the rules limiting debate. A motion to rise, report progress and ask leave to sit again, shall be always first in order, and be decided without debate.

REGULAR COURSE OF PROCEEDINGS.

Petitions, &c., and Reports of Committees.

34. Petitions, memorials, remonstrances, and papers of a like nature, and reports of committees, shall be presented before the House proceeds to the consideration of the Orders of the Day, and the Speaker shall call on the several divisions for such papers.

35. The member presenting a petition, memorial, or remonstrance, shall indorse his name thereon, with a brief statement of the nature and object of the paper, and the reading thereof shall be dispensed with, unless specially ordered.

Papers from the Senate.

36. Papers from the Senate shall be laid before the House by the Speaker, and received for action conformably to such of these Rules and Orders as are applicable thereto, before the House proceeds to the consideration of the Orders of the Day.

Papers addressed to the House, not Petitions.

37. Papers addressed to the House or the General Court, other than petitions, memorials, and remonstrances, or those received from the Senate, may be presented by the Speaker, or by a member in his place, and shall be read unless it is specially ordered that the reading be dispensed with.

Orders of Inquiry.

38. All motions contemplating legislation, when not founded upon petition, or upon bill proposed to be introduced on leave, shall be made in the form of an order of inquiry, which shall indicate the nature of the legislation proposed; and if reference is made to any particular law, for amendment or otherwise, the order shall specify the chapter and section, as well as the subject to which it relates.

Postponement to the Next Day on Request of a Member.

39. The consideration of any order proposed for adoption, or of any request for leave to introduce a bill, shall be postponed without question to the day after that on which the order is proposed or request made, if any member asks such postponement.

Bills and Resolves. [See Rule 93.]

40. Bills shall be fairly written in a legible hand, without material erasure or interlineation, on not less than one sheet of paper, with suitable margins and spaces between the several sections; dates and numbers being written in words at length.

41. If opposition is made to a bill before it is ordered to a second reading, the question shall be, "*Shall this bill be rejected?*" If no opposition is made, or if the question

to reject is negatived, the bill shall go to its second reading without a question.

42. Bills involving an expenditure of public money, shall, after their first reading, be referred to the Committee on Finance, for report on their relation to the finances of the Commonwealth.

43. Bills from the Senate, after their first reading, shall be referred to a committee of the House, unless they were reported to the Senate by a joint committee.

44. Amendments, proposed by the Senate and sent back to the House for concurrence, shall be referred to the committee which reported the measure proposed to be amended, unless such committee is composed of members of both branches.

45. No bill shall be proposed or introduced unless received from the Senate, reported by a committee, or moved as an amendment to the report of a committee : *provided*, that the House may grant special leave to a member to introduce a bill ; but when leave is asked for the introduction of a bill, it shall be read for information before the question is put on granting leave ; and if leave is granted, it shall be committed, before it is ordered to a second reading.

46. No bill affecting directly the legal rights of individuals or corporations, otherwise than as it affects generally the interests of the whole people of the Commonwealth or of the cities or towns to which it specifically applies, shall be proposed or introduced, by amendment or otherwise, except by report of a committee, upon petition duly presented and referred.

47. When a bill, order, petition, memorial or remonstrance has been finally rejected, no measure substantially the same shall be introduced by any committee or member during the same session; and if an amendment to a House bill is received from the Senate, which amendment is substantially the same as a bill which has been rejected by the House, the Speaker shall direct the Clerk to indorse on the paper that the House non-concurs in the amendment, and shall not entertain any motion for other action thereon.

48. Bills in their third reading, shall be referred to the Committee on Bills in the Third Reading, for examination, correction, and report.

[See Rule 27.]

49. No bill shall pass to be engrossed without having been read on three several days.

50. Engrossed bills shall be referred to the Committee on Engrossed Bills for examination, comparison, and report.

[See Rule 28.]

51. No engrossed bill shall be amended.

52. Engrossed bills, reported by the Committee on Engrossed Bills to be rightly and truly engrossed, shall be put upon their passage to be enacted; and engrossed resolves, when so reported, shall be put upon their passage; without further reading, unless specially ordered.

53. No engrossed bill shall be sent to the Senate, without notice thereof being given by the Speaker.

Orders of the Day.

54. Bills from the Senate, after their first reading, when not referred to a committee of the House, and bills reported to the House by committees, to which no objection is made or when the question of rejection is negatived, shall be placed in the orders for second reading on the next day.

55. Reports of committees not by bill or resolve shall be placed in the orders of the next day after that on which they are received from the Senate, or made to the House, as the case may be.

56. Bills ordered to a third reading, shall be placed in the orders of the next day, for such reading.

57. After entering upon the consideration of the orders of the day, the House shall proceed with them in regular course, as follows:—Matters not giving rise to a motion or debate shall first be disposed of in the order in which they stand in the calendar; after which the matters that were passed over shall be considered in like order, and disposed of.

58. When the House does not finish the consideration of the Orders of the Day, those which have not been acted upon shall be the orders for the next and each succeeding day until disposed of, and shall be entered in the calendar, without change in their order, to precede matters added under Rules fifty-four, fifty-five and fifty-six. The unfinished business in which the House was engaged at the time of adjournment, shall have the preference in the orders of the next day, after motions to reconsider.

Special Rules affecting the Course of Proceedings.

[For postponement of Order, etc., to next day, on request of a member, see Rule 39.]

59. No matter which has been duly placed in the orders of the day shall be discharged therefrom, or considered out of the regular course.

60. If, under the operation of the previous question or otherwise, an amendment is made at the second or third reading of a bill substantially changing the greater part of such bill, the question shall not be put forthwith on ordering the bill to a third reading or to be engrossed (as the case may be), but the bill, as amended, shall be placed in the orders of the next day after that on which the amendment is made, and shall then be open to further amendment before such question is put. In like manner, when, under the operation of the previous question or otherwise, an amendment is made in any proposition of such a nature as to change its character, as from a bill to an order, or the like, the proposition as amended shall be placed in the orders of the next day after that on which the amendment was made.

VOTING.

61. No member shall vote in any question where his private right is immediately concerned, distinct from the public interest.

62. Every member not prevented by interest, who is present in the House when a question is put, shall give his vote, unless the House, for special reasons, excuse him. Members desiring to be so excused shall make application to that effect before the House is divided, or before the taking of the yeas and nays is begun. Such application may be accompanied by a brief statement of reasons by

the member making it, but shall be decided without debate.

63. When a question is put, the sense of the House shall be taken by the voices of the members, and the Speaker shall first announce the vote as it appears to him by the sound.

64. If the Speaker is unable to decide by the sound of the voices, or if his announcement made thereupon is doubted by a member rising in his place for that purpose, the Speaker shall order a return by divisions of the number voting in the affirmative and in the negative, without further debate upon the question.

[For duty of monitors in case of a division, see Rule 9.]

65. When a return by divisions is ordered, the members for or against the question, when called on by the Speaker, shall rise in their places, and stand until they are counted.

66. The sense of the House shall be taken by yeas and nays, whenever required by one-fifth of the members present. When the yeas and nays are taken, the roll of the House shall be called in alphabetical order, and no member shall be allowed to vote who was not on the floor when his name was called or before the roll-call was finished.

67. The call for the yeas and nays shall be decided without debate. If the yeas and nays have been ordered before the question is put, the proceedings under Rules sixty-three, sixty-four and sixty-five shall be omitted; if not, they may be called for in lieu of a return by divisions when the Speaker's announcement is doubted by a member rising in his place, and if then ordered, the pro-

ceedings under Rules sixty-four and sixty-five shall be omitted.

Reconsideration.

68. When a vote has passed (except as provided in the next rule), it shall be in order for any member to move the reconsideration thereof on the same or the succeeding day, and such motion, if made on the same day shall (except in the last week of the session) be placed first in the orders of the next day after that on which it is made; but if first moved on such succeeding day, it shall be forthwith considered: *provided, however*, that a motion to reconsider a vote upon any incidental or subsidiary question, shall not remove the main subject under consideration from before the House, but shall be considered at the time when it is made.

69. When a motion for reconsideration is decided, that decision shall not be reconsidered, and no question shall be twice reconsidered; nor shall any vote be reconsidered upon either of the following motions:

to adjourn,
to lay on the table,
to take from the table; or
for the previous question.

70. Debate on motions to reconsider shall be limited to thirty minutes, and no member shall occupy more than five minutes.

[For rule requiring the Clerk to retain papers, except, &c., until the right of reconsideration has expired, see Rule 15.]

RULES OF DEBATE.

71. Every member, when about to speak, shall rise and respectfully address the Speaker, shall confine himself to the question under debate and avoid personality; and shall sit down when he has finished. No member shall speak out of his place without leave of the Speaker.

72. When two or more members rise at the same time, the Speaker shall name the member entitled to the floor, preferring one who rises in his place to one who does not.

73. No member shall interrupt another while speaking, except by rising to call to order.

74. No member shall speak more than once to the prevention of those who have not spoken and desire to speak on the same question, nor more than twice on the same question without leave of the House.

Motions.

75. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the Speaker so directs.

76. A motion need not be seconded, and may be withdrawn by the mover if no objection is made.

77. A motion to adjourn shall be always first in order; and that motion, and the motions to lay on the table and to take from the table, shall be decided without debate.

[For application to be excused from voting, to be decided without debate, see Rule 62.]

[For call for yeas and nays, to be decided without debate, see Rule 67.]

[For questions of order arising after the previous question is moved, to be decided without debate, except on appeal, see Rule 81.]

78. When a question is before the House, until it is disposed of, the Speaker shall receive no motion that does not relate to the same, except the motion to adjourn, or some other motion that has precedence either by express rule of the House, or because it is privileged in its na-

ture; and he shall receive no motion relating to the same, except:—

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| to lay on the table, | See Rule 77, above. |
| for the previous question, | See Rules 79–84, below. |
| to close the debate at a specified time, | See Rules 83, 84, below. |
| to postpone to a time certain, | See Rule 85, below. |
| to commit (or recommit), | See Rule 86, below. |
| to amend, | See Rules 87–90, below. |
| to refer to the next General Court, | |
| or to postpone indefinitely, | See Rule 91, below. |

which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are arranged in this rule.

Previous Question.

79. The previous question shall be put in the following form: “*Shall the main question be now put?*”—and all debate upon the main question shall be suspended until the previous question is decided.

80. On the previous question, not exceeding ten minutes shall be allowed for debate, and that only to give reasons why the main question should not be put, and no member shall speak more than three minutes.

81. All questions of order arising after a motion is made for the previous question shall be decided without debate, excepting on appeal, and on such appeal no member shall speak more than once without leave of the House.

[See Rule 92.]

82. The adoption of the previous question shall put an end to all debate except as provided in Rule eighty-

four, and bring the House to a direct vote upon pending amendments, if any, in their regular order, and then upon the main question.

Motion to Close Debate at a Specified Time.

83. A motion to close the debate at a specified time, shall be put not less than thirty minutes before the time stated.

[See the next rule.]

When Debate is closed, Ten Minutes allowed, &c.

84. When debate is closed by ordering the previous question, or by a vote to close debate at a specified time, the member in charge of the measure under consideration shall be allowed to speak ten minutes, and may grant to any other member any portion of his time.

Motion to Postpone to a time certain.

85. When a motion is made to postpone to a time certain, and different times are proposed, the question shall first be taken on the most remote time; and the time shall be determined before the question is put on postponement, which may then be rejected if the House see fit.

Motion to Commit.

86. When a motion is made to commit, and different committees are proposed, the question shall be taken in the following order :—

- a standing committee of the House,
- a select committee of the House,
- a joint standing committee,
- a joint select committee;

and a subject may be recommitted to the same committee, or to another committee at the pleasure of the House.

Motions to Amend.

87. A motion to amend an amendment may be received, but no amendment in the third degree shall be allowed.

88. No motion or proposition, of a subject different from that under consideration, shall be admitted under color of amendment.

89. A question containing two or more propositions, capable of division, shall be divided whenever desired by any member. When a motion to strike out and insert is thus divided, the failure of the motion to strike out shall not preclude amendment; or, if the motion to strike out prevails, the matter proposed to be inserted shall be open to amendment before the question is taken on inserting it.

90. In filling blanks, the largest sum and longest time shall be put first.

Equivalent for Motion to Postpone Indefinitely.

91. A motion to strike out the enacting clause of a bill shall be equivalent to a motion to postpone indefinitely.

APPEAL.

92. No appeal from the decision of the Speaker shall be entertained, unless it is seconded; and no other business shall be in order until the question on the appeal has been disposed of.

[See Rule 81.]

RESOLVES.

93. Such of these Rules and Orders as are applicable to bills, whether of the House or of the Senate, shall apply likewise to such Resolves as require the concurrence of the Senate and approval by the Governor, in

order to become laws and have force as such. Except in Rule fifty-two, the word "bill" shall be equivalent to the word "resolve" in the same place.

ELECTIONS BY BALLOT.

94. A time shall be assigned for elections by ballot, at least one day previous thereto.

SECRET SESSION.

95. All proceedings in secret session, and matters relating thereto, shall be kept secret until the House removes the injunction of secrecy.

SEATS.

96. (1.) The desk on the right of the Speaker shall be assigned to the use of the Clerk and such persons as he may employ to assist him, and that on the left to the use of the Chairmen of the Committees on Bills in the Third Reading and on Engrossed Bills.

(2.) The seat numbered 25, in the third division, shall be assigned to the use of the senior member of the House, and that numbered 24, in the fourth division, to the use of the oldest member of the House who is not the senior member.

(3.) The seat numbered 11, in the first division, shall be assigned to the use of the Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary, and that numbered 35, in the sixth division, to the use of the Chairman of the Committee on Finance.

(4.) The following seats shall be assigned to the use of the monitors:—

Those numbered 30 and 34, in the first division;
100 and 104, in the second division;
96 and 99, in the third division;
92 and 95, in the fourth division;
87 and 91, in the fifth division; and
15 and 19, in the sixth division.

(5.) The first business in order after the appointment of standing committees and monitors is announced by the Speaker, shall be the drawing of the other seats upon the floor of the House.

(6.) The Clerk shall call the roll of the members in alphabetical order, omitting the names of the Speaker, the senior member, the oldest member, the chairmen of committees herein before mentioned, and the monitors; and the drawing shall be had in presence of the House, under the supervision of a committee of three selected from the members mentioned in this paragraph.

(7.) The seat assigned to any member, or drawn by him, shall be his seat for the year, unless an exchange is made and notice thereof given to the Sergeant-at-Arms within ten days from the day of the drawing.

PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR.

97. (1.) Every member shall have the privilege of introducing upon the floor of the House, to occupy (for that day) any seat then vacant not belonging to a member, or belonging to a member who is absent, not more than one person at the same time, such person not having any private interest in any measure before the legislature distinct from the public interest: *provided*, that in any case when by the exercise of this privilege on the part of some of the members, the vacant seats have been filled, and the Speaker so announces, the further exercise of the privilege shall be suspended for that day, or until one or more of the seats thus filled are vacated.

(2.) The Speaker may also invite visitors, not inhabitants of this Commonwealth, without limit of number, to seats (not numbered) upon the floor of the House.

(3.) Contestants for seats in the House whose papers are in the hands of the Committee on Elections, may be admitted while their cases are pending, to seats to be assigned by the Speaker.

(4.) Senators, and the principal officers* in the Executive and Judicial departments of the Civil Government of the Commonwealth, the Chaplains of both Houses and the Clerk of the Senate, shall be admitted to the floor whenever they may have occasion to visit the House, and may occupy any of the seats not numbered which they may find vacant, or any seats which may be assigned by the Speaker for their use for the time being.

REPRESENTATIVES' CHAMBER.

98. Use of the Representatives' Chamber shall not be granted except by a vote of four-fifths of the members present.

CUSHING'S MANUAL.

99. The rules of parliamentary practice comprised in Cushing's Manual, shall govern the House in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with these Rules and Orders, or the Joint Rules and Orders of the two branches.

SUSPENSION, AMENDMENT AND REPEAL.

100. Nothing in these Rules and Orders shall be dispensed with, altered or repealed, unless two-thirds of the members present consent thereto; but this rule and rules thirty-nine, forty-eight and ninety-eight shall not be suspended, unless by unanimous consent of the members present.

Blanks for orders, bills, reports, petitions and indorsement of petitions, may be had on application to the Clerk, or at the document room, and members are respectfully requested to use the same in the preparation of papers.

* See list in the Blue-book.

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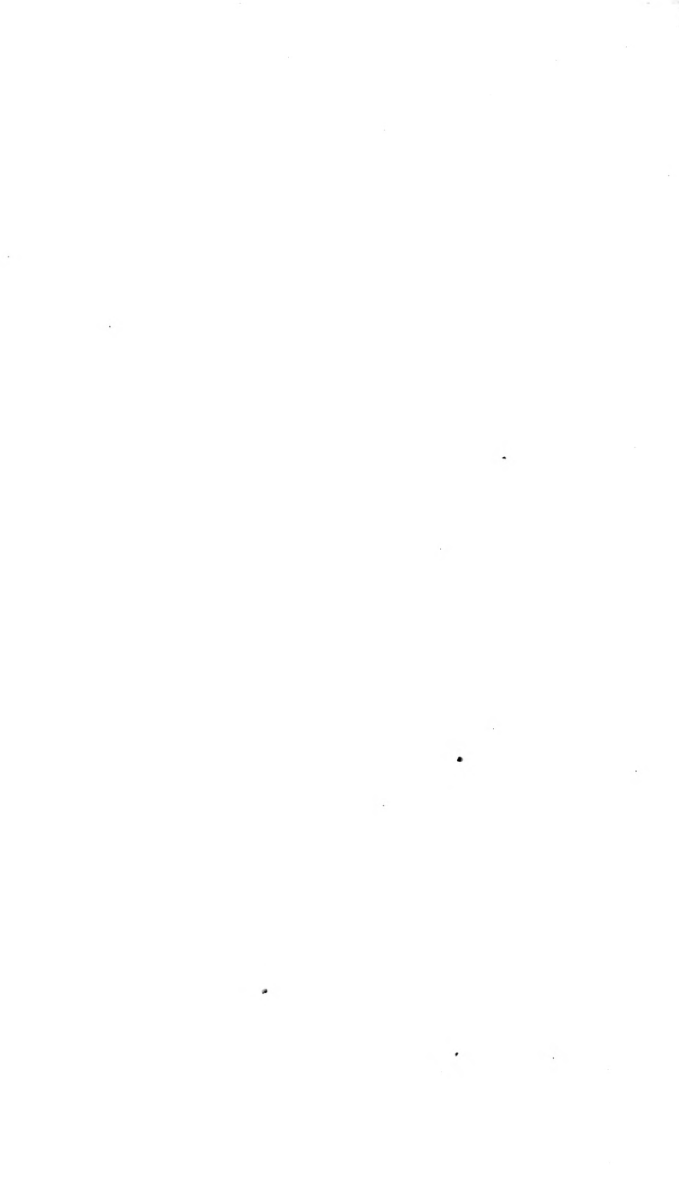
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- A Committee on Agriculture;
- A Committee on Banks and Banking;
- A Committee on Claims;
- A Committee on Education;
- A Committee on Expenditures;
- A Committee on Federal Relations;
- A Committee on the Fisheries;
- A Committee on Harbors;
- A Committee on Insurance;
- A Committee on the Library;
- A Committee on Manufactures;
- A Committee on Mercantile Affairs;
- A Committee on Military Affairs;
- A Committee on Parishes and Religious Societies;
- A Committee on Prisons;
- A Committee on Public Charitable Institutions;
- A Committee on Public Lands;
- A Committee on Railroads;
- A Committee on Roads and Bridges;
- A Committee on the State House;
- A Committee on Street Railways;
- A Committee on Towns;
- A Committee on Water-Supply and Drainage;

And each of said Committees shall consist of two on the part of the Senate, and five on the part of the House,

except the Committee on Claims, the Committee on Harbors, the Committee on Mercantile Affairs, the Committee on Prisons, the Committee on Public Charitable Institutions, the Committee on Railroads, the Committee on Street Railways, and the Committee on Water-Supply and Drainage, which shall each consist of three members on the part of the Senate, and eight members on the part of the House; and except the Committee on the Library, which, by law, is to consist of three on the part of each House; and except the Committee on Expenditures, which shall consist of the Committee on the Treasury of the Senate, and the Committee on Finance of the House. No member of either House shall act as counsel for any party before any committee of the legislature.

RULE 2. The Joint Committees of the two Houses may report by bill, resolve or otherwise to either House, at their discretion; and all bills and resolves reported by them shall be fairly written in a legible hand, without material erasure or interlineation, on not less than one sheet of paper, with suitable margins, and spaces between the several sections; dates and numbers being written in words at length.

RULE 3. Reports of Joint Committees may be recommitted to the same Committees at the pleasure of the House first acting thereon, without asking the concurrence of the other branch; and bills or resolves which have been previously acted on in one branch may be recommitted in the other without a concurrent vote, except when recommitted with instructions: *provided*, that, after such recommitment, report shall, in all cases, be made to the branch which shall have ordered such recommitment.

RULE 4. Whenever a report is made from any Committee to either House, and the subject-matter thereof is

subsequently referred therein to a Joint Committee, such Committee shall report its action to the branch in which the original report was made.

RULE 5. If any part of the report of a Committee over the signature of the chairman or members of the Committee is amended in either branch, the Clerk of that branch shall indorse upon the report such amendment.

RULE 6. Whenever upon any application for an Act of incorporation, or other special legislation, the purpose for which such legislation is sought can be secured under general laws, the committee to which the matter is referred shall, in all cases, report "leave to withdraw," or "inexpedient to legislate."

RULE 7. All papers, while on their passage between the two Houses, may be under the signature of the respective Clerks, except bills and resolves in their last stage. Messages may be sent by such persons as each House may direct.

RULE 8. After bills shall have passed both Houses to be engrossed, they shall be in the charge of the Clerks of the two Houses, who shall deliver the same to the Secretary of the Commonwealth, to be engrossed in the manner prescribed by law; and when engrossed, the said Clerks shall forthwith deliver the same to the Committee of the House of Representatives on Engrossed Bills; and when the same shall have passed to be enacted in that House, they shall in like manner be delivered to the Committee of the Senate on Engrossed Bills.

RULE 9. If any bill, resolve or order, originating in one branch, is rejected in the other, notice thereof shall be given, under the signature of the Clerk, to the branch in which the same originated.

RULE 10. The Clerk of the House in which a bill originated shall make an indorsement thereon, certifying in which House the same originated, which indorsement shall be entered on the Journals by the Clerks respectively.

After said bills shall have passed both Houses to be enacted, the Clerk of the Senate shall lay them before the Governor for his approbation, and shall enter upon the Journal of the Senate the day on which the same were laid before the Governor.

RULE 11. All resolves and other papers, which are to be presented to the Governor for his approbation, shall be laid before him in the same manner as is prescribed in the case of bills.

RULE 12. All resolves proposing amendments of the Constitution shall have three several readings in each House, and the final question upon adopting the same shall be taken by yeas and nays.

RULE 13. The President of the Senate shall preside in Conventions of the two branches; and such Conventions shall be holden in the Representatives' Chamber; the Clerk of the Senate shall be Clerk of the Convention, and a record of the proceedings of the Convention shall be entered at large on the Journals of both branches.

RULE 14. When an agreement has been made by the two branches to go into Convention, such agreement shall not be altered or annulled, except by concurrent vote.

RULE 15. No business shall be entered on, in Convention, other than that which may be agreed on before the Convention is formed.

RULE 16. In all elections by joint ballot, a time shall be assigned therefor at least one day previous to such election.

RULE 17. The joint assembly required to be held by the Act of Congress approved July 25, 1866, entitled, "An Act to regulate the times and manner of holding elections for Senators in Congress," shall be deemed a Convention of the two branches, and the proceedings therein shall be in accordance with the provisions of said act. The President of the Convention shall receive no motion on any day until one vote for Senator has been taken. After one vote for Senator has been taken, no motion shall be in order except a motion to adjourn, for a recess, or to proceed to vote for Senator; and these motions shall have precedence in the order of their arrangement, and shall be decided without debate. If a motion is made for a recess and different times are proposed, the question shall first be taken on the most remote time; and the time shall be determined, but without debate, before the question is put upon taking the recess. On either of the questions permitted by this rule the sense of the Convention shall be taken by yeas and nays, whenever required by one-fifth of the members present. When the yeas and nays are taken, the roll of the Convention shall be called in alphabetical order, and no member shall be allowed to vote who was not on the floor when his name was called or before the roll-call was finished. The call for the yeas and nays shall be decided without debate.

RULE 18. Committees of Conference shall consist of three members on the part of each House, representing its vote; and their report, if agreed to by a majority of each Committee, shall be made to the branch asking the Conference, and may be either accepted or rejected; but no other action shall be had, except through a new Committee of Conference.

RULE 19. Joint Committees shall make final report upon all matters previously referred to them, on or before

the twenty-second day of March, unless further time is granted for cause.

RULE 20. All petitions, memorials and applications embraced in the provisions of chapter 2 of the General Statutes, and chapter 91 of the Acts of the year 1862, which shall be presented after the twenty-second day of February, shall be referred to the next General Court. This rule shall not be rescinded, amended or suspended, except by a concurrent vote of four-fifths of the members of each House present and voting thereon.

RULE 21. No bill or resolve affecting the rights of individuals, or private or municipal corporations, shall be reported by a Committee, unless notice has been given to all parties interested, by public advertisement or otherwise, without expense to the Commonwealth; or unless satisfactory evidence is produced that the parties interested have either received notice in writing, or have in writing waived notice.

RULE 22. No bill or resolve affecting directly the legal rights of individuals or corporations, otherwise than as it affects generally the interests of the whole people of the Commonwealth, or of the cities or towns to which it specifically applies, shall be proposed or introduced, by amendment or otherwise, except by report of a Committee, upon petition duly presented and referred.

RULE 23. The Committees on Printing shall act as a Joint Committee in cases requiring joint action; and as such may make regulations for the distribution of all documents printed or assigned for the use of the legislature not otherwise disposed of, such regulations to be reported to and subject to the order of the two branches.

Under the general order to print a report, bill or other document, the number printed shall be eight hundred, with the exception of the Governor's Inaugural Address, of which three thousand copies may be printed without special order. Either branch, by special order, may direct a larger number than eight hundred copies to be printed, which order shall be referred to the Committee on Printing, who may report thereon at any time when the Orders of the Day are not under consideration.

Leave to report in print shall not be construed to authorize the printing of extended reports of evidence.

No binding or engraving shall be ordered, except upon the report of the Joint Committee on Printing, accepted by the legislature.

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OF THE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS,

AND OFFICERS IMMEDIATELY CONNECTED THEREWITH,
WITH PLACES OF RESIDENCE.

1875.



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At home.

II.—SETH TURNER, of Randolph.

At home.

III.—ALDEN LELAND, of Holliston.

At home.

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V.—ROBERT COUCH, of Newburyport.

At home.

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At home.

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On Accounts.—Mr. Dunn, Mr. Couch, Mr. Baker.

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United States Hotel.

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| Artemas Harmon, <i>Assistant Clerk</i> , | . | . | Malden. | |
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| John Q. Adams, <i>Assistant-Clerk</i> , | . | . | North Brookfield. | |
| David Wilder, <i>Assistant-Clerk</i> , | . | . | Boston. | |

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| Andrew J. Morton, <i>Clerk</i> , | . | . | . | . | . | Boston. |

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| William D. Hawley, | . | . | . | . | . | Malden. |
| Albert Carter, | . | . | . | . | . | Quincy. |

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CHARLES R. TRAIN, of Boston.

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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

SENATE, BY DISTRICTS.

Hon. GEORGE B. LORING, of Salem, President.

| DISTRICT. | NAME. | Residence. | Boarding-place. |
|----------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| First Suffolk, . . . | Eustace C. Fitz, . . . | Chelsea, . . . | At home. |
| Second, " . . . | Timothy J. Dacey, . . . | Boston, . . . | 7 Charter St. |
| Third, " . . . | M. J. Flatley, . . . | " . . . | Jefferson House. |
| Fourth, " . . . | Francis D. Stedman, . . . | " . . . | 6 Lovering Place. |
| Fifth, " . . . | Jonathan A. Lane, . . . | " . . . | 623 Tremont St. |
| Sixth, " . . . | Hugh J. Toland, . . . | " . . . | 121 Dorchester Av., S. B. |
| First Essex, . . . | Thomas Ingalls, . . . | Marblehead, . . . | At home. |
| Second, " . . . | George B. Loring, . . . | Salem, . . . | At home. |
| Third, " . . . | George L. Davis, . . . | North Andover, . . . | At home. |

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| Fourth Essex, | . | . | . | Zenas C. Wardwell, | . | Groveland, | . | At home. |
| Fifth " | . | . | . | Charles Fitz, | . | Manchester, | . | At home. |
| First Middlesex, | . | . | . | Robert R. Wiley, | . | Boston, | . | { 59 Warren Street, } Charlestown District. |
| Second " | . | . | . | Christopher E. Rymes, | . | Somerville, | . | At home. |
| Third " | . | . | . | Ezra Parmenter, | . | Cambridge, | . | At home. |
| Fourth " | . | . | . | Ezra D. Winslow, | . | Newton, | . | At home. |
| Fifth " | . | . | . | Joseph A. Harwood, | . | Littleton, | . | Revere House. |
| Sixth " | . | . | . | Richard Britton, | . | Wakefield, | . | At home. |
| Seventh, " | . | . | . | William E. Livingston, | . | Lowell, | . | At home. |
| First Worcester, | . | . | . | George F. Verry, | . | Worcester, | . | Parker House. |
| Second " | . | . | . | Jeremiah Gatchell, | . | Blackstone, | . | At home. |
| Third " | . | . | . | Washington Tufts, | . | Brookfield, | . | At home. |
| Fourth " | . | . | . | Moses O. Ayers, | . | Oakham, | . | Quincy House. |
| Fifth " | . | . | . | C. H. B. Snow, | . | Fitchburg, | . | At home. |

| DISTRICT. | NAME. | Residence. | Boarding-place. |
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| First Hampden, . . . | Henry S. Hyde, . . | Springfield, . | Tremont House. |
| Second " . . . | Henry Fuller, . . | Westfield, . . | United States Hotel. |
| Hampshire, . . . | Francis Edson, . . | Hadley, . . | United States Hotel. |
| Franklin, . . . | Andrew J. Clark, . | Orange, . . | Parker House. |
| Berkshire, . . . | William H. Phillips, . | Pittsfield, . . | Adams House. |
| Berkshire and Hampshire, . | Lysander J. Orcutt, . | Cummington, . | Tremont House. |
| First Norfolk, . . . | Albert Palmer, . . | Boston, . . | 14 Forest Street. |
| Second " . . . | Henry Smith, . . | Boston, . . | { Wash. cor. Columbia, Ward 16. |
| Third " . . . | J. White Belcher, . | Randolph, . . | At home. |
| First Plymouth, . . . | Tisdale S. White, . | Plymouth, . . | At home. |
| Second " . . . | Henry W. Robinson, . | Brockton, . . | At home. |
| Norfolk and Plymouth, . . | E. A. Hunt, . . | Weymouth, . . | At home. |

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| First Bristol, | . | . | W. C. Lovering, . | . | Taunton, . | At home. |
| Second " | . | . | John A. Hawes, . | . | Fairhaven, . | At home. |
| Third " | . | . | Jonathan Jones, . | . | Berkley, . | At home. |
| Cape, . . | . | . | Thomas N. Stone, | . | Wellfleet, . | Marlboro' Hotel. |
| Island, . . | . | . | Ezra C. Howard, | . | Sandwich, . | U. S. Hotel. |

ARRANGEMENT OF THE SENATE.

HON. GEORGE B. LORING, *President.*

LEFT.

1. Henry Smith.
2. Andrew J. Clark.
3. Jonathan A. Lane.
4. Charles Fitz.
5. Zenas C. Wardwell.
6. Hugh J. Toland.
7. George F. Verry.
8. W. C. Lovering.
9. Jeremiah Gatchell.
10. Francis D. Stedman.
11. E. D. Winslow.
12. Richard Britton.
13. E. C. Fitz.
14. L. J. Orcutt.
15. Henry S. Hyde.
16. C. H. B. Snow.
17. C. E. Rymes.
18. H. W. Robinson.
19. William H. Phillips.

RIGHT.

1. George L. Davis.
2. Henry Fuller.
3. John A. Hawes.
4. Tisdale S. White.
5. Francis Edson.
6. Ezra Parmenter.
7. Thomas N. Stone.
8. Thomas Ingalls.
9. J. W. Belcher.
10. Moses O. Ayers.
11. E. C. Howard.
12. Albert Palmer.
13. Robert R. Wiley.
14. Timothy J. Dacey.
15. Joseph A. Harwood.
16. M. J. Flatley.
17. W. E. Livingston.
18. E. A. Hunt.
19. Jonathan Jones.
20. Washington Tufts.

SENATE, ALPHABETICALLY.

Hon. GEORGE B. LORING (Second Essex District),

PRESIDENT.

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| Ayers, Moses O., . . . | <i>Fourth Worcester</i> | <i>District.</i> |
| Belcher, J. White, . . . | <i>Third Norfolk</i> | " |
| Britton, Richard, . . . | <i>Sixth Middlesex</i> | " |
| Clark, Andrew J., . . . | <i>Franklin</i> | " |
| Dacey, Timothy J., . . . | <i>Second Suffolk</i> | " |
| Davis, George L., . . . | <i>Third Essex</i> | " |
| Edson, Francis, . . . | <i>Hampshire,</i> | " |
| Fitz, Charles, . . . | <i>Fifth Essex</i> | " |
| Fitz, Eustace C., . . . | <i>First Suffolk</i> | " |
| Flatley, M. J., . . . | <i>Third Suffolk</i> | " |
| Fuller, Henry, . . . | <i>Second Hampden.</i> | " |
| Gatchell, Jeremiah, . . . | <i>Second Worcester</i> | " |
| Harwood, Joseph A., . . . | <i>Fifth Middlesex</i> | " |
| Hawes, John A., . . . | <i>Second Bristol</i> | " |
| Howard, Ezra C., . . . | <i>Island</i> | " |
| Hunt, E. A., . . . | <i>Norfolk & Plymouth</i> | " |
| Hyde, Henry S., . . . | <i>First Hampden</i> | " |
| Ingalls, Thomas, . . . | <i>First Essex</i> | " |
| Jones, Jonathan, . . . | <i>Third Bristol</i> | " |
| Lane, Jonathan A., . . . | <i>Fifth Suffolk</i> | " |

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| Livingston, William E., | . . . | <i>Seventh Middlesex</i> | <i>District.</i> |
| Loring, George B., | . . . | <i>Second Essex</i> | " |
| Lovering, W. C., | . . . | <i>First Bristol</i> | " |
| Orcutt, Lysander J., | . . . | <i>Berkshire & Hampshire</i> | " |
| Palmer, Albert, | . . . | <i>First Norfolk</i> | " |
| Parmenter, Ezra, | . . . | <i>Third Middlesex</i> | " |
| Phillips William H., | . . . | <i>Berkshire</i> | " |
| Robinson, Henry W., | . . . | <i>Second Plymouth</i> | " |
| Rymes, Christopher E., | . . . | <i>Second Middlesex</i> | " |
| Smith, Henry, | . . . | <i>Second Norfolk</i> | " |
| Snow, C. H. B., | . . . | <i>Fifth Worcester</i> | " |
| Stedman, Francis D., | . . . | <i>Fourth Suffolk</i> | " |
| Stone, Thomas N., | . . . | <i>Cape</i> | " |
| Toland, Hugh J., | . . . | <i>Sixth Suffolk</i> | " |
| Tufts, Washington, | . . . | <i>Third Worcester</i> | " |
| Verry, George F., | . . . | <i>First Worcester</i> | " |
| Wardwell, Zenas C., | . . . | <i>Fourth Essex</i> | " |
| White, Tisdale S., | . . . | <i>First Plymouth</i> | " |
| Wiley, Robert R., | . . . | <i>First Middlesex</i> | " |
| Winslow, Ezra D., | . . . | <i>Fourth Middlesex</i> | " |

OFFICERS OF THE SENATE.

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| O. F. MITCHELL, Bridgewater, . | <i>Sergeant-at-Arms.</i> |
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| HENRY O. READ, | <i>Door-keeper.</i> |
| S. W. EDGELL, | <i>Assistant Door-keeper.</i> |
| WILLIAM H. JARVIS, | <i>Messenger.</i> |
| PATRICK J. FEE, | <i>Messenger.</i> |
| JOHN E. KILLIAN, | <i>Messenger.</i> |
| P. W. DUNNE, | <i>Messenger.</i> |
| J. C. ARMSTRONG, | <i>Messenger.</i> |
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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
BY COUNTIES.

COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

| District. | Name of Representative. | Residence. |
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| 1st, . . . | { Nathaniel Seaver, Dexter A. Tompkins, Daniel J. Sweeney, | Boston. Boston. Boston. |
| 2d, . . . | { Patrick Collins, Michael Carney, Neil Doherty, | Boston. Boston. Boston. |
| 3d, . . . | { George P. Kingsley, Nathaniel J. Rust, James L. Locke, | Boston. Boston. Boston. |
| 4th, . . . | { Charles Hale, Samuel Talbot, Jr., John H. Woodbury, | Boston. Boston. Boston. |
| 5th, . . . | { Edward B. Rankin, Francis M. Hughes, Horace L. Bowker, | Boston. Boston. Boston. |
| 6th, . . . | { Charles R. Codman, William E. Perkins, John T. Morse, Jr., | Boston. Boston. Boston. |
| 7th, . . . | { Thomas F. Fitz Gerald, John B. Martin, James T. Mahony, | Boston. Boston. Boston. |
| 8th, . . . | { Amasa W. Bailey, Daniel Noonan, William Woods, | Boston. Boston. Boston. |
| 9th, . . . | { Moses Kimball, William Frost, | Boston. Boston. |

| District. | Name of Representative. | Residence. |
|-----------|--------------------------------|------------|
| 10th, . . | { John J. McNutt, | Boston. |
| | { Joseph F. Paul, | Boston. |
| 11th, . . | { Richard H. Stearns, | Boston. |
| | { William B. Merrill, | Boston. |
| | { Wallace F. Robinson, | Boston. |
| 12 h, . . | { Richard Pope, | Boston. |
| | { Thomas Johnson, | Boston. |
| 13th, . . | { Isaac Stebbins, | Chelsea. |
| | { Charles A. Rogers, | Chelsea. |
| | { Henry T. Holmes, | Chelsea. |

COUNTY OF ESSEX.

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| 1st, . . | { Charles M. Brown, | Salisbury. |
| | { William Chase, | Amesbury. |
| 2d, . . | { William E. Blunt, | Haverhill. |
| | { James H. Carleton, | Haverhill. |
| | { Benj. F. Leighton, | Haverhill. |
| 3d, . . | { William S. Knox, | Lawrence. |
| | { Byron Truell, | Lawrence. |
| | { Ebenezer Sawyer, | Methuen. |
| 4th, . . | John L. Smith, | Andover. |
| 5th, . . | Daniel P. Hopkinson, | Groveland. |
| 6th, . . | { Ben C. Currier, | Newburyport. |
| | { Michael Atkinson, | Newburyport. |
| | { Daniel D. Bailey, | Newbury. |
| 7th, . . | John H. Blake, | Ipswich. |
| 8th, . . | { John J. Babson, | Gloucester. |
| | { Charles H. Pew, 2d, | Gloucester. |
| | { Epes Davis, | Gloucester. |

| District. | Name of Representative. | Residence. |
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| 9th, . . | Henry Dennis, Jr., . . . | Rockport. |
| 10th, . | { John I. Baker, . . . John H. Woodbury, . . . | Beverly. Beverly. |
| 11th, . . | John L. Robinson, . . . | Wenham. |
| 12th, . . | Stephen F. Blaney, . . . | Peabody. |
| 13th, . . | { Willard P. Phillips, . . . Charles S. Osgood, . . . | Salem. Salem. |
| 14th, . . | John H. Bell, . . . | Salem. |
| 15th, . . | { Harrison Closson, . . . William B. Howard, . . . | Marblehead. Marblehead. |
| 16th, . . | Edward J. Johnson, . . . | Nahant. |
| 17th, . . | Nathan M. Hawkes, . . . | Lynn. |
| 18th, . . | John C. Stimpson, . . . | Swampscott. |
| 19th, . . | W. Stanley Newhall, . . . | Lynn. |
| 20th, . . | John H. Potter, . . . | Topsfield. |

COUNTY OF MIDDLESEX.

| | | |
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| 1st, . . | James A. McDonald, . . . | Boston. |
| 2d, . . | { John D. Flynn, . . . John Sanborn, . . . | Boston. Boston. |
| 3d, . . | { Joseph W. Hill, . . . Samuel R. Brintnall, . . . | Boston. Boston. |
| 4th, . . | { James Pierce, . . . John A. Cummings, . . . Selwyn Z. Bowman, . . . | Malden. Somerville. Somerville. |

| District. | Name of Representative. | Residence, |
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| 5th, . . . | Daniel W. Lawrence, . . . | Medford. |
| 6th, . . . | A. B. Coffin, . . . | Winchester. |
| 7th, . . . | Levi L. Cushing, Jr., . . . | Cambridge. |
| 8th, . . . | { Daniel H. Thurston, . . . Austin C. Wellington, . . . Edward Kendall, . . . | Cambridge. Cambridge. Cambridge. |
| 9th, . . . | Jeremiah W. Coveney, . . . | Cambridge. |
| 10th, . . . | { Isaac T. Burr, . . . Isaac Pratt, Jr., . . . | Newton. Boston. |
| 11th, . . . | Franklin G. Morris, . . . | Watertown. |
| 12th, . . . | William E. Bright, . . . | Waltham. |
| 13th, . . . | John B. Fairbanks, . . . | Natick. |
| 14th, . . . | Lowell Coolidge, . . . | Sherborn. |
| 15th, . . . | Clement Meserve, . . . | Hopkinton. |
| 16th, . . . | George Haven, . . . | Framingham. |
| 17th, . . . | Francis C. Curtis, . . . | Marlborough. |
| 18th, . . . | Wilbur F. Brigham, . . . | Hudson. |
| 19th, . . . | William H. Bent, . . . | Wayland. |
| 20th, . . . | George Heywood, . . . | Concord. |
| 21st, . . . | William Winn, . . . | Burlington. |
| 22d, . . . | Walter Wyman, . . . | Woburn. |
| 23d, . . . | { Elbridge H. Goss, . . . John Best, . . . | Melrose. Stoncham. |
| 24th, . . . | Augustine P. Cook, . . . | No. Reading. |

| District. | Name of Representative. | Residence. |
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| 25th, . . | Albert J. Trull, | Tewksbury. |
| 26th, . . | { Artemas S. Tyler, Charles A. F. Swan, | Lowell. Lowell. |
| 27th, . . | James E. Hill, | Lowell. |
| 28th, . . | Joel Knapp, | Lowell. |
| 29th, . . | Cyrus K. Russell, | Lowell. |
| 30th, . . | Gayton M. Hall, | Draeut. |
| 31st, . . | E. Crosby Willard, | Ayer. |
| 32d, . . | E. E. Spaulding, | Townsend. |

COUNTY OF WORCESTER.

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| 1st, . . | Wilbur F. Whitney, | Ashburnham. |
| 2d, . . | Edwin Ellis, | Athol. |
| 3d, . . | Edward Sanderson, | Templeton. |
| 4th, . . | { Henry S. Miner, Albert E. Rice, | Phillipston. Barre. |
| 5th, . . | { George Hall, Amos B. Holden, F. S. Coolidge, | Leominster. Westminster. Westminster. |
| 6th, . . | J. C. Richmond, | Harvard. |
| 7th, . . | John C. Bickford, | Berlin. |
| 8th, . . | Moses B. Heywood, | Sterling. |
| 9th, . . | Joseph Fobes, | Oakham. |

| District. | Name of Representative. | Residence. |
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| 10th, . . . | { William W. Rice, Samuel R. Heywood, Enoch H. Towne, | Worcester. Worcester. Worcester. |
| 11th, . . . | { Andrew Athy, James E. Estabrook, Osgood Bradley, Jr., | Worcester. Worcester. Worcester. |
| 12th, . . . | Thomas T. Griggs, | Grafton. |
| 13th, . . . | Reuben Boynton, | Westborough. |
| 14th, . . . | Cyrus F. Baker, | Northbridge. |
| 15th, . . . | { Albert Smith, Albert W. Gaskill, James Bergin, | Blackstone. Mendon. Milford. |
| 16th, . . . | { M. M. Hovey, C. W. Duggan, E. F. Smith, | Sutton. Millbury. Dudley. |
| 17th, . . . | { Pliny T. Litchfield, Samuel May, | Southbridge. Leicester. |
| 18th, . . . | { Charles B. Sanford, George T. Lincoln, | W. Brookf'd. Sturbridge. |

COUNTY OF HAMPSHIRE.

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| 1st, . . . | { William M. Gaylord, Isaac Stone, | Northampton. Northampton. |
| 2d, . . . | Lafayette Stevens, | Worthington. |
| 3d, . . . | Henry L. James, | Williamsburg. |
| 4th, . . . | James W. Gaylord, | South Hadley. |
| 5th, . . . | William E. Bridgman, | Belchertown. |
| 6th, . . . | Benjamin F. Davis, | Enfield. |

COUNTY OF HAMPDEN.

| District. | Name of Representative. | Residence. |
|-----------|--|------------------------------|
| 1st, . . | Daniel G. Green, . . . | Monson. |
| 2d, . . | Charles L. Gardner, . . . | Palmer. |
| 3d, . . | { Charles L. Shaw, . . . T. D. Beach, . . . | Springfield. Springfield. |
| 4th, . . | James Abbe, . . . | Springfield. |
| 5th, . . | A. M. Copeland, . . . | Springfield. |
| 6th, . . | { Jacob W. Davis, . . . S. A. Jacobs, . . . | Holyoke. Chicopee. |
| 7th, . . | { Emerson Geer, . . . Samuel Flower, . . . | W. Springf'd. Agawam. |
| 8th, . . | Reuben Noble, . . . | Westfield. |
| 9th, . . | Edward E. Gibbs, . . . | Russell. |

COUNTY OF FRANKLIN.

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| 1st, . . | Willard Putnam, . . . | New Salem. |
| 2d, . . | Sylvester W. Bowen, . . . | Wendell. |
| 3d, . . | { Charles H. Green, . . . William Keith, . . . | Northfield. Greenfield. |
| 4th, . . | { Frederick G. Howes, . . . George W. Jones, . . . | Ashfield. Deerfield. |
| 5th, . . | ———, * . . . | ——— |

* Vacancy.

COUNTY OF BERKSHIRE.

| District. | Name of Representative. | Residence. |
|-----------|---|----------------------------|
| 1st, . . | Joseph White, | Williamstw'n. |
| 2d, . . | { James W. Dwyer, William Martin, | Adams. Adams. |
| 3d, . . | { Thomas F. Plunkett, Owen Coogan, | Pittsfield. Pittsfield. |
| 4th, . . | Alanson B. Pomeroy, | Washington. |
| 5th, . . | William D. Curtis, | Lenox. |
| 6th, . . | Edward S. May, | Lee. |
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| 4th, . . | Austin H. Connell, | Boston. |
| 5th, . . | { Frederick P. Moseley, Gardner A. Churchill, | Boston. Boston. |
| 6th, . . | William A. Hodges, | Quincy. |
| 7th, . . | Cranmore N. Wallace, | Braintree. |
| 8th, . . | { George L. Newton, George W. Dyer, | Weymouth. Weymouth. |

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| 9th, . . | E. Everett Holbrook, . . . | Holbrook. |
| 10th, . . | Leonard A. Thayer, . . . | Stoughton. |
| 11th, . . | { Edward L. Pierce, . . . Samuel Allen, . . . | Milton. Walpole. |
| 12th, . . | { George M. Warren, . . . William A. Thompson, . . . | Wrentham. Foxborough. |
| 13th, . . | Joseph T. Massey, . . . | Bellingham. |
| 14th, . . | Joseph H. Baker, . . . | Medfield. |
| 15th, . . | Moses Williams, Jr., . . . | Brookline. |

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| 2d, . . | David E. Harding, . . . | Mansfield. |
| 3d, . . | Alpheus Fobes, . . . | Easton. |
| 4th, . . | { John E. Sanford, . . . Cyrus Savage, . . . Frederick L. Bosworth, . . . | Taunton. Taunton. Taunton. |
| 5th, . . | Thomas Rich, . . . | Seekonk. |
| 6th, . . | Nathan M. Wood, . . . | Swansea. |
| 7th, . . | { Southard H. Miller, . . . William Carroll, . . . Nicholas Hatheway, . . . | Fall River. Fall River. Fall River. |
| 8th, . . | Benjamin Gifford, . . . | Westport. |
| 9th, . . | Abraham H. Smith, . . . | Dartmouth. |
| 10th, . . | { Charles M. Peirce, Jr., . . . Joseph Buckminster, . . . | New Bedford. New Bedford. |

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| | { Giles G. Barker, . . . | New Bedford. |
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| 2d, . . | John D. Long, . . . | Hingham. |
| 3d, . . | George H. Torrey, . . . | So. Scituate. |
| 4th, . . | Harrison D. Packard, . . . | Halifax. |
| 5th, . . | Stephen M. Allen, . . . | Duxbury. |
| 6th, . . | { Stephen C. Phinney, . . . | Plymouth. |
| | { Isaiah Churchill, . . . | Plympton. |
| 7th, . . | John Savery, . . . | Warcham. |
| 8th, . . | John S. Ryder, . . . | Rochester. |
| 9th, . . | John B. LeBaron, . . . | Middleboro'. |
| 10th, . . | Philo Keith, . . . | Bridgewater. |
| 11th, . . | { Ziba C. Keith, . . . | Brockton. |
| | { Isaac N. Nutter, . . . | E. Bridgew'r. |
| 12th, . . | { George W. Reed, . . . | Abington. |
| | { Dexter Grose, . . . | Abington. |

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| | { Joshua C. Robinson, . . . | Falmouth. |
| | { Isaac N. Keith, . . . | Sandwich. |

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| 3d, . . | S. Eldredge Hallet, . . . | Chatham. |
| 4th, . . | { Isaiah A. Small, . . . { Edward W. Noble, . . . | Provincetown. Truro. |

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| 1. | Baker, of Beverly. | 29. | Williams, of Brookline. |
| 2. | Woodbury, of Beverly. | 30. | Tompkins, of Boston. |
| 3. | May, of Leicester. | 31. | Allen, of Duxbury. |
| 4. | Holmes, of Chelsea. | 32. | White, of Williamstown. |
| 5. | Seaver, of Boston. | 33. | Perkins, of Boston. |
| 6. | Bowker, of Boston. | 34. | Smith, of Andover. |
| 7. | Packard, of Halifax. | 35. | Kimball, of Boston. |
| 8. | King, of Boston. | 36. | Rich, of Seekonk. |
| 9. | Fuller, of Boston. | 37. | Thayer, of Stoughton. |
| 10. | James, of Williamsburg. | 38. | Knapp, of Lowell. |
| 11. | Codman, of Boston. | 39. | Ellis, of Athol. |
| 12. | Hill, of Boston. | 40. | Heywood, of Worcester. |
| 13. | Blunt, of Haverhill. | 41. | Curtis, of Lenox. |
| 14. | Hill, of Lowell. | 42. | Wilcox, of Sandisfield. |
| 15. | Keith, of Sandwich. | 43. | Bailey, of Newbury. |
| 16. | Stearns, of Boston. | 44. | Hale, of Boston. |
| 17. | Rice, of Barre. | 45. | Sanderson, of Templeton. |
| 18. | Newhall, of Lynn. | 46. | Carrier, of Newburyport. |
| 19. | Gaylord, of South Hadley. | 47. | Tyler, of Lowell. |
| 20. | Miller, of Fall River. | 48. | Winn, of Burlington. |
| 21. | Howard, of Marblehead. | 49. | Flower, of Agawam. |
| 22. | Grose, of Abington. | 50. | Truell, of Lawrence. |
| 23. | Sawyer, of Methuen. | 51. | Phillips, of Salem. |
| 24. | Sanborn, of Boston. | 52. | Moseley, of Boston. |
| 25. | Plunkett, of Pittsfield. | 53. | Hawkes, of Lynn. |
| 26. | Keith, of Greenfield. | 54. | Hallet, of Chatham. |
| 27. | Wellington, of Cambridge. | 55. | Martin, of Adams. |
| 28. | Towne, of Worcester. | 56. | Davis, of Holyoke. |

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| 57. | Whitney, of Ashburnham. |
| 58. | Putnam, of New Salem. |
| 59. | Johnson, of Boston. |
| 60. | Bent, of Wayland. |
| 61. | Baker, of Medfield. |
| 62. | Heywood, of Sterling. |
| 63. | Pratt, of Boston. |
| 64. | Tucker, of New Bedford. |
| 65. | Rogers, of Chelsea. |
| 66. | Whitney, of Attleborough. |
| 67. | Goodspeed, of Barnstable. |
| 68. | Dyer, of Weymouth. |
| 69. | Woods, of Boston. |
| 70. | Mitchell, of Nantucket. |
| 71. | Boynton, of Westborough. |
| 72. | Fairbanks, of Natick. |
| 73. | Leighton, of Haverhill. |
| 74. | Morris, of Watertown. |
| 75. | Dwyer, of Adams. |
| 76. | Rice, of Worcester. |
| 77. | Hall, of Leominster. |
| 78. | Potter, of Topsfield. |
| 79. | Davis, of Gloucester. |
| 80. | Wood, of Swansea. |
| 81. | Savage, of Taunton. |
| 82. | Richmond, of Harvard. |
| 83. | Torrey, of South Scituate. |
| 84. | Knox, of Lawrence. |
| 85. | Frost, of Boston. |
| 86. | Cummings, of Somerville. |
| 87. | Keith, of Brockton. |
| 88. | Thurston, of Cambridge. |
| 89. | Gifford, of Westport. |
| 90. | Robinson, of Wenham. |
| 91. | Martin, of Boston. |
| 92. | Duggan, of Millbury. |
| 93. | Bright, of Waltham. |
| 94. | Miner, of Phillipston. |

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| 95. | Cook, of North Reading. |
| 96. | Gibbs, of Russell. |
| 97. | Carleton, of Haverhill. |
| 98. | Talbot, of Boston. |
| 99. | Pomeroy, of Washington. |
| 100. | Green, of Northfield. |
| 101. | Pierce, of Milton. |
| 102. | Keith, of Bridgewater. |
| 103. | Atkinson, of Newburyp't. |
| 104. | Newton, of Weymouth. |
| 105. | Fobes, of Easton. |
| 106. | Barker, of New Bedford. |
| 107. | May, of Lee. |
| 108. | Jones, of Deerfield. |
| 109. | Blake, of Ipswich. |
| 110. | Flynn, of Boston. |
| 111. | Buckminster, of New Bedford. |
| 112. | Spaulding, of Townsend. |
| 113. | Dennis, of Rockport. |
| 114. | Lewis, of Fairhaven. |
| 115. | Hovey, of Sutton. |
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| 117. | Seeley, of Gt. Barrington. |
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| 119. | Lincoln, of Sturbridge. |
| 120. | Curtis, of Marlborough. |
| 121. | Babson, of Gloucester. |
| 122. | Brintnall, of Boston. |
| 123. | Peirce, of New Bedford. |
| 124. | Bridgman, of Belcher-town. |
| 125. | Bradley, of Worcester. |
| 126. | Osgood, of Salem. |
| 127. | Stevens, of Worthington. |
| 128. | Hodges, of Quincy. |
| 129. | Harding, of Mansfield. |
| 130. | Haven, of Framingham. |

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| 131. | Burr, of Newton. | 169. | Kingsley, of Boston. |
| 132. | Willard, of Ayer. | 170. | Athy, of Worcester. |
| 133. | Holden, of Westminster. | 171. | McDonald, of Boston. |
| 134. | Carroll, of Fall River. | 172. | McNutt, of Boston. |
| 135. | ——, of ——. | 173. | Heywood, of Concord. |
| 136. | Small, of Provincetown. | 174. | Pope, of Boston. |
| 137. | Fobes, of Oakham. | 175. | Reed, of Abington. |
| 138. | Bowman, of Somerville. | 176. | Lawrence, of Medford. |
| 139. | Smith, of Dudley. | 177. | Beal, of Cohasset. |
| 140. | Noonan, of Boston. | 178. | ——, of ——. |
| 141. | Morse, of Boston. | 179. | Fisk, of Dennis. |
| 142. | Ropes, of Boston. | 180. | Bailey, of Boston. |
| 143. | Geer, of West Springfield. | 181. | Churchill, of Boston. |
| 144. | Litchfield, of Southbridge. | 182. | Gardner, of Palmer. |
| 145. | Wyman, of Woburn. | 183. | Bell, of Salem. |
| 146. | Stone, of Northampton. | 184. | Beach, of Springfield. |
| 147. | Russell, of Lowell. | 185. | Robinson, of Boston. |
| 148. | Locke, of Boston. | 186. | Coolidge, of Sherborn. |
| 149. | Copeland, of Springfield. | 187. | Connell, of Boston. |
| 150. | Coffin, of Winchester. | 188. | Phinney, of Plymouth. |
| 151. | Chase, of Amesbury. | 189. | Ryder, of Rochester. |
| 152. | Mahony, of Boston. | 190. | Brigham, of Hudson. |
| 153. | Best, of Stoneham. | 191. | Bergin, of Milford. |
| 154. | Shaw, of Springfield. | 192. | Woodbury, of Boston. |
| 155. | Jacobs, of Chicopee. | 193. | Smalley, of Harwich. |
| 156. | Pew, of Gloucester. | 194. | Cushing, of Cambridge. |
| 157. | Hughes, of Boston. | 195. | Johnson, of Nahant. |
| 158. | Rankin, of Boston. | 196. | Noble, of Truro. |
| 159. | Griggs, of Grafton. | 197. | Hall, of Boston. |
| 160. | Smith, of Dartmouth. | 198. | Coveney, of Cambridge. |
| 161. | Closson, of Marblehead. | 199. | Brown, of Salisbury. |
| 162. | Gaylord, of Northampton. | 200. | Nutter, of E. Bridgewater. |
| 163. | Collins, of Boston. | 201. | Doherty, of Boston. |
| 164. | Swan, of Lowell. | 202. | Robinson, of Falmouth. |
| 165. | Stebbins, of Chelsea. | 203. | Merrill, of Boston. |
| 166. | Blaney, of Peabody. | 204. | Bosworth, of Taunton. |
| 167. | Fitz Gerald, of Boston. | 205. | Meserve, of Hopkinton. |
| 168. | Hillman, of Chilmark. | 206. | Bowen, of Wendell. |

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| 207. | Rust, of Boston. | 223. | Wallace, of Braintree. |
| 208. | Day, of Norwood. | 224. | Sanford, of W. Brookfield. |
| 209. | Trull, of Tewksbury. | 225. | Holbrook, of Holbrook. |
| 210. | Kendall, of Cambridge. | 226. | Estabrook, of Worcester. |
| 211. | Adams, of Boston. | 227. | Coogan, of Pittsfield. |
| 212. | Savery, of Wareham. | 228. | Davis, of Enfield. |
| 213. | Gaskill, of Mendon. | 229. | Bickford, of Berlin. |
| 214. | Smith, of Blackstone. | 230. | Hopkinson, of Groveland. |
| 215. | Howes, of Ashfield. | 231. | Stimpson, of Swampscott. |
| 216. | Le Baron, of Middleboro'. | 232. | Churchill, of Plympton. |
| 217. | Allen, of Walpole. | 233. | Carney, of Boston. |
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| 222. | Coolidge, of Westminster. | 238. | Pierce, of Malden. |

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| Harwood, | . | . | . | . | . | <i>of Middlesex.</i> |

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| Ayers, . | . | . | . | . | . | <i>of Worcester.</i> |
| Jones, . | . | . | . | . | . | <i>of Bristol.</i> |

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| Heywood, | . | . | . | . | . | <i>of Concord.</i> |
| Knox, | . | . | . | . | . | <i>of Lawrence.</i> |
| Morse, | . | . | . | . | . | <i>of Boston.</i> |
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| Churchill, | . | . | . | . | . | <i>of Plympton.</i> |
| Whitney, | . | . | . | . | . | <i>of Ashburnham.</i> |

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| Wood, | <i>of Swansea.</i> |
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| Geer, | <i>of West Springfield.</i> |
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| Davis, | <i>of Holyoke.</i> |
| Holmes, | <i>of Chelsea.</i> |
| Carroll, | <i>of Fall River.</i> |
| Lincoln, | <i>of Sturbridge.</i> |

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Mosely, of Boston, and
Fisk, of Dennis.

ON EDUCATION.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Hawes, of Bristol, and
Stone, of the Cape District.

Of the House.—Messrs. White, of Williamstown,
Stone, of Northampton,
Closson, of Marblehead,
Woodbury, of Boston, and
Putnam, of New Salem.

ON FEDERAL RELATIONS.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Palmer, of Norfolk, and
Phillips, of Berkshire.

Of the House.—Messrs. May, of Leicester,
Keith, of Bridgewater,
Le Baron, of Middleborough,
Packard, of Halifax, and
Woods, of Boston.

ON THE FISHERIES.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Fitz, of Essex, and
Hawes, of Bristol.

Of the House.—Messrs. Johnson, of Nahant,
Smalley, of Harwich,
Kingsley, of Boston,
Dennis, of Rockport, and
Hillman, of Chilmark.

ON HARBORS.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Fitz, of Suffolk,
Wiley, of Middlesex, and
Howard, of the Island District.

Of the House.—Messrs. Perkins, of Boston,
Thurston, of Cambridge,
Mitchell, of Nantucket,
Savery, of Wareham,
Sweeney, of Boston,
Beal, of Cohasset,
Gifford, of Westport, and
Rogers, of Chelsea.

ON INSURANCE.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. White, of Plymouth, and
Hunt, of Norfolk and Plymouth.

Of the House.—Messrs. Paul, of Boston,
Coveney, of Cambridge,
Pope, of Boston,
Swan, of Lowell, and
Tucker, of New Bedford.

ON THE LIBRARY.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Parmenter, of Middlesex,
Robinson, of Plymouth, and
Verry, of Worcester.

Of the House.—Messrs. Noble, of Truro,
Russell, of Lowell, and
McDonald, of Boston.

ON MANUFACTURES.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Davis, of Essex, and
Livingston, of Middlesex.

Of the House.—Messrs. Plunkett, of Pittsfield,
Whitney, of Attleborough,
James, of Williamsburg,
Hall, of Leominster, and
Grose, of Abington.

ON MERCANTILE AFFAIRS.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Clark, of Franklin,
Smith, of Norfolk, and
Ayers, of Worcester.

Of the House.—Messrs. Hawkes, of Lynn,
Willard, of Ayer,
Rust, of Boston,
Curtis, of Marlborough,
Leighton, of Haverhill,
Wright, of Waltham,
Robinson, of Boston, and
Holbrook, of Holbrook.

ON MILITARY AFFAIRS.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Harwood, of Middlesex, and
Orcutt, of Berkshire and Hampshire..

Of the House.—Messrs. King, of Boston,
Wellington, of Cambridge,
Savage, of Taunton,
Talbot, of Boston, and
Pew, of Gloucester.

ON PARISHES AND RELIGIOUS SOCIETIES.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Winslow, of Middlesex, and
Lane, of Suffolk.

Of the House.—Messrs. Massey, of Bellingham,
Hallett, of Chatham,
Coolidge, of Sherborn,
Stevens, of Worthington, and
Woodbury, of Beverly.

ON PRISONS.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Winslow, of Middlesex,
Edson, of Hampshire, and
Flatley, of Suffolk.

Of the House.—Messrs. Hill, of Boston,
Robinson, of Falmouth,
Locke, of Boston,
Bosworth, of Taunton,
Merrill, of Boston,
Litchfield, of Southbridge,
Towne, of Worcester, and
Day, of Norwood.

ON PUBLIC CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Stedman, of Suffolk,
Toland, of Suffolk, and
Belcher, of Norfolk.

Of the House.—Messrs. Goodspeed, of Barnstable,
Carleton, of Haverhill,
Winn, of Burlington,
May, of Lee,
Reed, of Abington,
Haven, of Framingham,
Peirce, of New Bedford, and
Churchill, of Boston.

ON PUBLIC LANDS.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Gatchell, of Worcester, and
Ingalls, of Essex.

Of the House.—Messrs. Stimpson, of Swampseott,
Collins, of Boston,
Chase, of Amesbury,
Sanford, of West Brookfield, and
Barker, of New Bedford.

ON RAILROADS.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. White, of Plymouth,
Palmer, of Norfolk, and
Hyde, of Hampden.

Of the House.—Messrs. Phillips, of Salem,
Blunt, of Haverhill,
Williams, of Brookline,
Frost, of Boston,
Fairbanks, of Natick,
Heywood, of Worcester,
Knapp, of Lowell, and
Dwyer, of Adams.

ON ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Wardwell, of Essex, and
Jones, of Bristol.

Of the House.—Messrs. Jones, of Deerfield,
Newhall, of Lynn,
Sanderson, of Templeton,
Thompson, of Foxborough, and
Davis, of Enfield.

ON THE STATE HOUSE.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Toland, of Suffolk, and
Wiley, of Middlesex.

Of the House.—Messrs. Tompkins, of Boston,
Smith, of Blackstone,
Adams, of Boston,
Hodges, of Quincy, and
Bailey, of Newbury.

ON STREET RAILWAYS.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Parmenter, of Middlesex,
Edson, of Hampshire, and
Hunt, of Norfolk and Plymouth.

Of the House.—Messrs. Shaw, of Springfield,
Carney, of Boston,
Bell, of Salem,
Fitz Gerald, of Boston,
Hill, of Lowell,
Bradley, of Worcester,
Brintnall, of Boston, and
Hopkinson, of Groveland.

ON TOWNS.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Wardwell, of Essex, and
Gatchell, of Worcester.

Of the House.—Messrs. Allen, of Duxbury,
Seeley, of Great Barrington,
Griggs, of Grafton,
Harding, of Mansfield, and
Ellis, of Athol.

ON WATER SUPPLY AND DRAINAGE.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Lovering, of Bristol,
Britton, of Middlesex, and
Rymes, of Middlesex.

Of the House.—Messrs. Ropes, of Boston,
Currier, of Newburyport,
Bowker, of Boston,
Meserve, of Hopkinton,
Sawyer, of Methuen,
Buckminster, of New Bedford,
Phinney, of Plymouth, and
Lawrence, of Medford.

JOINT SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

On the Several Portions of the Governor's Address.

ON THE HOOSAC TUNNEL LINE OF RAILROADS.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Lane, of Suffolk,
Clark, of Franklin, and
Orcutt, of Berkshire and Hampshire.

Of the House.—Messrs. Hale, of Boston,
Baker, of Beverly,
Noble, of Westfield,
Pierce, of Malden,
Keith, of Greenfield,
Gaylord, of Northampton,
Martin, of Adams, and
Coolidge, of Westminster,

ON THE LIQUOR LAW.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Fuller, of Hampden,
Stedman, of Suffolk, and
Stone, of the Cape District.

Of the House.—Messrs. Fuller, of Boston,
Boynton, of Westborough,
Stone, of Northampton,
Morris, of Watertown,
Hatheway, of Fall River,
Wyman, of Woburn,
Connell, of Boston, and
Nutter, of East Bridgewater.

ON THE LABOR QUESTION.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Winslow, of Middlesex,
Britton, of Middlesex, and
Flatley, of Suffolk.

Of the House.—Messrs. May, of Leicester,
McNutt, of Boston,
Robinson, of Wenham,
Athy, of Worcester,
Best, of Stoncham,
Bailey, of Boston,
Truell, of Lawrence, and
Brigham, of Hudson.

Raised by Order of the Two Branches.

ON THE STATE POLICE.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Gatchell, of Worcester,
Wardwell, of Essex, and
Stedman, of Suffolk.

Of the House.—Messrs. Fuller, of Boston,
Boynton, of Westborough,
Stone, of Northampton,
Morris, of Watertown,
Hatheway, of Fall River,
Wyman, of Woburn,
Connell, of Boston, and
Nutter, of East Bridgewater.

ON CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Verry, of Worcester,
Snow, of Worcester,
Fuller, of Hampden,
Dacey, of Suffolk, and
Hawes, of Bristol.

Of the House.—Messrs. Codman, of Boston,
Rice, of Worcester,
Pierce, of Milton,
Heywood, of Concord,
Knox, of Lawrence,
Morse, of Boston, and
Gardner, of Palmer.

ON FEMALE SUFFRAGE.

Of the Senate.—Messrs. Winslow, of Middlesex,
Fitz, of Suffolk, and
White, of Plymouth.

Of the House.—Messrs. Baker, of Beverly,
May, of Leicester,
Hawkes, of Lynn,
Smith, of Andover,
Coolidge, of Westminster,
Newton, of Weymouth,
Truell, of Lawrence, and
Gibbs, of Russell.

REPORTERS.

IN THE SENATE.

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| FRANK H. FORBES, . . . | <i>Boston Traveller.</i> |
| GEORGE C. BURPEE, . . . | <i>Boston Post.</i> |
| WILLIAM B. SMART, . . . | <i>Boston Transcript.</i> |
| M. O. FLINT, | <i>Boston Advertiser.</i> |
| THOMAS BRADLEY, | { <i>Boston Herald.</i> |
| | { <i>Boston Journal.</i> |
| A. M. BRIDGMAN, | <i>Springfield Republican.</i> |

IN THE HOUSE.

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| WILLIAM B. SMART, | { <i>Boston Post.</i> |
| | { <i>Boston Transcript.</i> |
| LEWIS G. FARMER, | { <i>Boston Journal.</i> |
| | { <i>Boston Herald.</i> |
| JAMES P. BACON, | <i>Boston Advertiser.</i> |
| E. W. HAZEWELL, | <i>Boston Traveller.</i> |
| FRED P. BACON, | { <i>Boston Globe.</i> |
| | { <i>Boston News.</i> |
| E. H. LUTHER, | <i>Worcester Press.</i> |
| A. M. BRIDGMAN, | <i>Springfield Republican.</i> |

ASSIGNMENT OF COMMITTEE ROOMS.

EAST WING.

RIGHT, ON ENTERING FROM BEACON STREET.

President of the Senate and Clerk of the Senate.

(Rear of the Senate Chamber.)

No. 1. Clerk of the House.

2. Committee on Mercantile Affairs.

2. Committee on Insurance.

3. Committee on the Fisheries.

3. Committee on Public Lands.

4. Committee on Harbors.

5. Committee on the Judiciary. (*Senate.*)

6. Committee on County Estimates.

6. Committee on Roads and Bridges.

7. Committee on Parishes and Religious Societies.

Committee on the Library.

(In the Library.)

Committee on the Hoosac Tunnel Line of Railroads.

Committee on Water Supply and Drainage.

(Room A, Basement.)

Committee on Finance.

Committee on Expenditures.

Committee on the State House.

(In Sergeant-at-Arms' Office.)

Committee on the Labor Question.

Committee on Towns.

(In Blue Room.)

WEST WING.

LEFT, ON ENTERING BEACON STREET.

No. 8. Committee on the Judiciary. (*House.*)

9. Committee on Probate and Chancery. (*House.*)

10. Committee on Railroads.

11. Committee on Leave of Absence.

11. Committee on the Pay Roll.

11. Committee on Printing. (*Senate and House.*)

12. Committee on Education.

12. Committee on Probate and Chancery. (*Senate.*)

13. Committee on Banks and Banking.

14. Committee on Street Railways.

14. Committee on Elections.

14. Committee on Agriculture.

15. Committee on Public Charitable Institutions.

16. Committee on Manufactures.

18. Committee on Claims.

Committee on Military Affairs.

Committee on Prisons.

(*In Room opposite the Adjutant-General's Office.*)

Committee on the Liquor Law.

Committee on Woman Suffrage.

(*In the Green Room.*)

NOTICE TO MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL COURT.

STATE LIBRARY.

The first section of the fifth chapter of the General Statutes provides that there shall be a State Library kept in the State House, for the use of the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, the Council, the Senate, the House of Representatives, and such other officers of the Government and other persons as may from time to time be permitted to use the same.

The Library is in the second story of the enlargement.

REGULATIONS.

The Library is open during the Session of the Legislature, each day, without intermission, from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except on Saturday P. M., when it is closed at 1 o'clock, for sweeping, dusting, etc.

All persons may use the Library for consultation or reference.

Members of the Legislature may enter any alcove, and consult or peruse any book at their pleasure.

Members may take any of the miscellaneous books to their lodgings, and retain them for a reasonable time.

The Statutes, Law Reports, State Papers, Journals, Dictionaries, Encyclopædias, etc., etc., may be taken to any part of the State House, but are not to be removed from it except in special cases.

Any member wishing to have access to any or all parts of the Library, can be furnished with a key which will open every alcove, on application to one of the Assistants, the key to be returned before leaving the Library-room.

Members taking books from the shelves are requested to be particularly careful to return them to their proper places, or to leave them on the tables, to be replaced by the attendants.

No book is to be taken by a member from the Library-room without its being charged to him.

Books used at a hearing before a committee are to be charged to some member of the committee, or of the Legislature, and not to counsel or parties in the case pending.

Any member having special occasion to use the Library in the evening, or at any hour after it is closed, can have access to it through one of the watchmen in charge of the building.

OFFICERS.

George O. Shattuck, J. M. Manning and Edwin P. Whipple, of Boston, *Trustees*. Joseph White, *Librarian, ex officio*. Samuel C. Jackson, *Acting Librarian*. Miss C. R. Jackson, Miss E. M. Sawyer, *Assistants*.

AGRICULTURAL LIBRARY.

A valuable Agricultural Library, connected with the office of the Secretary of the Board of Agriculture, is also open at all hours of the day for the use of members of the Legislature. It is in the basement of the State House, in the rear.

BOSTON ATHENÆUM.

By the Act of the General Court incorporating the Proprietors of the Boston Athenæum, it is provided that the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, the members of the Council, of the Senate, and of the House of Representatives, for the time being, shall have free access to the Library of the said corporation, and may visit and consult the same at all times, under the same regulations as may be provided by the by-laws of said corporation for the proprietors thereof.

The Boston Athenæum is situated in Beacon Street, near the State House, and members who may wish to avail themselves of

their privilege can receive a note of introduction to the Librarian by applying to the Sergeant-at-Arms.

MASSACHUSETTS HISTORICAL SOCIETY.

Section 6 of the Act of 1794, incorporating the Massachusetts Historical Society, provides that "either branch of the Legislature shall and may have free access to the library and museum of said society."

ROSTER OF THE STATE POLICE.

GEORGE W. BOYNTON, *Chief Constable.*

CLERKS EMPLOYED IN CHIEF'S OFFICE.

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| Gustavus Andrews, <i>in charge</i> , | . . . | Lynn. |
| Charles W. Hastings, | | South Weymouth. |
| Charles P. Dodge, | | Salem. |
| John M. Whitecomb, | | South Weymouth. |

DETECTIVE OFFICERS.

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| William K. Jones, | | Boston. |
| Daniel C. Jones, | | Boston. |
| Hollis C. Pinkham, | | East Boston. |
| Francis M. Smith, | | Boston. |
| James P. Wade, | | Chelsea. |
| Chase Philbrick, | | Lawrence. |

BARNSTABLE COUNTY.

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| Benjamin H. Matthews, | | Yarmouth Port. |
| Isaiah C. Inman, | | Dennis Port. |

BERKSHIRE COUNTY.

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| Moses H. Pease, | | Lee. |
| George W. Geary, | | North Adams. |
| Jason N. Shepardson, | | Pittsfield. |

BRISTOL COUNTY.

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| Robert Crossman, 2d, | | Taunton. |
| David Dean, | | Taunton. |

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| Albert F. Sampson, | | Fall River. |
| Reuben M. Colby, | | Fall River. |
| William H. H. Allen, | | New Bedford. |
| George Dunham, | | New Bedford. |

DUKES COUNTY.

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| Jason L. Dexter, | | Edgartown. |
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ESSEX COUNTY.

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| Melvin Beal, | | Lawrence. |
| Benjamin B. Roberts, | | Lawrence. |
| John F. Browne, | | Lynn. |
| John E. Smith, | | Lynn. |
| Joseph A. Moore, | | Gloucester. |
| Edward P. Howe, | | Haverhill. |
| Richard C. Hale, | | Newburyport. |
| William H. Tozer, | | Ipswich. |
| Hiram N. Harriman, | | Salem. |
| Nathaniel M. Jackman, | | Salem. |
| Lewis A. Manning, | | Peabody. |

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

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| George H. Phelps, | | Northfield. |
| George A. Bates, | | Shelburne Falls. |

HAMPDEN COUNTY.

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| Patrick H. Casey, | | Holyoke. |
| Frank J. Borlen, | | Holyoke. |
| William F. Batchelder, | | Springfield. |

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY.

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| William E. Lewis, | | Ware. |
| Elijah N. Sampson, | | Northampton. |
| Aaron Barton, | | Northampton. |

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

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| John B. Smithers, | | Cambridgeport. |
| Josiah A. Bean, | | Natick. |

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| Hosea C. Hoyt, | Newton Upper Falls. |
| Simeon B. Harris, | Lowell. |
| Albert Pinder, | Lowell. |
| Charles M. Howe, | Lowell. |
| Micah B. Priest, | Marlborough. |
| Pembroke S. Rich, | Ayer. |
| John E. Tidd, | Woburn. |
| Benjamin F. Baker, | Hopkinton. |
| William N. Tyler, | Wakefield. |
| John S. McAdoo, | Somerville. |
| Francis Hinckley, | Maplewood. |
| George E. McNeil, | Cambridge. |

NORFOLK COUNTY.

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| Isaac Porter, | South Braintree. |
| Lewis R. Whittaker, | Franklin. |
| Kilburn R. Clifford, | Stoughton. |
| Andrew J. Garey, | East Weymouth. |
| Napoleon B. Furnald, | Quincy. |
| Benjamin P. Eldridge, | Neponset. |
| George C. Hall, | Quincy. |

PLYMOUTH COUNTY.

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| James B. Collingwood, | Plymouth. |
| Uriah Macoy, | Brockton. |
| William S. McFarlin, | Wareham. |
| George C. Pratt, | North Abington. |

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

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| Henry P. Weale, | East Boston. |
| Austin R. Adams, | South Boston. |
| Christopher T. Bailey, | Dedham. |
| Thomas H. Lucy, | Cambridgeport. |
| Edward E. Souther, | Somerville. |
| John S. Tobey, | Chelsea. |
| Chauncey O. Noyes, | Georgetown. |
| John Green, | Chelsea. |
| John Kennealy, | Cambridgeport. |
| Charles Booth, | |

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| William H. Warner, | . | . | . | . | East Boston. |
| Daniel A. Cronin, | . | . | . | . | Boston. |
| J. P. J. Haney, | . | . | . | . | Boston. |
| M. V. B. Hersom, | . | . | . | . | South Boston. |
| Sidney M. Copeland, | . | . | . | . | Highland District. |
| Harvey C. Gifford, | . | . | . | . | South Boston. |
| Joel A. Hunter, | . | . | . | . | Concord. |
| Edwin Thomas, | . | . | . | . | South Weymouth. |
| Benjamin B. Eldridge, | . | . | . | . | Neponset. |
| Napoleon B. Furnald, | . | . | . | . | Quincy. |
| Hosea C. Hoyt, | . | . | . | . | Newton Upper Falls. |
| Charles A. Cannon, | . | . | . | . | Charlestown. |
| Albert Gilman, | . | . | . | . | Somerville. |
| Henry C. Snell, | . | . | . | . | Hopkinton. |

WORCESTER COUNTY.

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| Abijah Brown, | . | . | . | . | Clinton. |
| Charles W. Davis, | . | . | . | . | Otter River. |
| Samuel J. Fletcher, | . | . | . | . | Whitinsville. |
| Augustus W. Keene, | . | . | . | . | Milford. |
| James M. Drennan, | . | . | . | . | Worcester. |
| Horace W. Bush, | . | . | . | . | West Brookfield. |
| Henry S. Hitchcock, | . | . | . | . | Fitchburg. |
| Harrison H. Comings, | . | . | . | . | Worcester. |
| George H. Hall, | . | . | . | . | Millbury. |

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*For the delivery of Messages, Letters, Small Packages, Circulars,
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9. Worcester Depot.
10. South-west corner of Court and Washington Streets, Old State House.
11. Corner of Winter and Tremont Streets.
12. Front of Mechanics' Bank, State Street.
13. State House.
14. Merchants' Row, corner of State Street.
15. Commonwealth Hotel.*
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17. Corner of Franklin and Washington Streets.
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- 22. Athenæum Building, Beacon Street.
- 23. Front of Boylston Market, on Washington Street.
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TARIFF.

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| To any point in Boston, north of Dover Street, and east of Berkeley Street, | 15 cents. |
| To any point in Boston, north of Dover Street, and east of Berkeley Street, with return letter or parcel, | 25 cents. |
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Extra messengers, to be paid by the day, may be had at the Superintendent's Office.

Complaints, from any cause whatever, made to the Superintendent, at his office, 24 Pemberton Square, will secure prompt attention.

D. O. BALCOM, *Superintendent.*

THE STATE HOUSE.

The present State House was erected in 1795-7, upon land purchased of the heirs of John Hancock, by the town of Boston, for the sum of \$4,000, and conveyed by said town to the Commonwealth, May 2, 1795. The Commissioners on the part of the town to convey the "Governor's Pasture," as it was styled, to the Commonwealth, were William Tudor, Charles Jarvis, John Coffin Jones, William Eustis, William Little, Thomas Dawes, Joseph Russell, Harrison Gray Otis and Perez Morton. The agents for erecting the State House were named in the deed as follows: Thomas Dawes, Edward Hutchinson Robbins and Charles Bulfinch.

The corner-stone was laid July 4th, 1795, by Governor Samuel Adams, assisted by Paul Revere, Master of the Grand Lodge of Masons. The stone was drawn to the spot by fifteen white horses, representing the number of States of the Union at that time. The building is 173 feet front; the height, including dome, is 110 feet, and the foundation is about that height above the waters of the Bay. The dome is 53 feet in diameter, and 35 feet high.

Extensive improvements, including a "new part," extending backward upon Mount Vernon Street, were made, chiefly under the direction of a commission, in the years 1853, 1854, 1855 and 1856.

Under a Resolve of 1866, a commission was appointed to inquire and report concerning the whole subject of remodelling or rebuilding the State House. They reported three propositions, without deciding in favor of either. The first was a plan of

remodelling, at an expense of \$375,430; the second, a plan of remodelling, at an expense of \$759,872; and the third, a plan for a new building, at an expense of \$2,042,574. The report of the commission was referred to the Committee on the State House of the session of 1867, who recommended a plan of alterations, at the estimated expense of \$150,000; and by Resolve No. 84 of that year, the work was ordered to be executed under the supervision of a commission consisting of the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, who were authorized by the same Resolve to expend \$150,000, and by a subsequent Resolve \$20,000 in addition. The President of the Senate died on the 29th of October, and thereafter the work was continued by the surviving commissioner.

The work was commenced on the 2d day of July, and was so nearly completed, so far as the conveniences for the legislative department are concerned, that both branches of the General Court met on the first day of January, and continued their sessions substantially without interruption. The improvements consist of an almost entire reconstruction of the interior of the building, except the "new part" before referred to as having been added from 1853 to 1856, whereby waste spaces are economized, the access to the several parts of the building simplified and made much more convenient, additional height and commodiousness given to a large part of the rooms, and a net gain of more than thirty rooms secured without extending the exterior walls of the building. Including the extension of the old, as well as the construction of the additional rooms, the contents of these apartments have been increased from about one hundred and three thousand to about two hundred and sixty-five thousand cubic feet—a net gain of one hundred and sixty-two thousand cubic feet.

The exterior improvements consist principally in the removal of a large number of supernumerary chimneys, and other excrescences, which had marred and concealed the original well-approved architectural proportions of the State House. Two new galleries were added to the Representatives' Hall, and its finish, as also that of the Senate Chamber, were much improved, while their general outline was retained. The Council Chamber, with the exception of the ceiling, which was frescoed, remains with its

ancient finish unchanged. The Governor's room was enlarged laterally, and additional height was also added by absorbing into it the old "green-room," which was directly above. A new "green-room," a spacious hall, elegantly finished and well lighted and ventilated, fifty-six by thirty-seven feet, has been constructed. The ceiling of the Doric Hall was raised two feet and finished in panels, and its floor, and also those of the corridors on either side of it, were laid with marble tile. Improvements were made in the basement story which entirely changed its character and utilized its waste places. Beside the space occupied by the heating and ventilating apparatus and two large fire-proof rooms, there are now in this story, in the old part, twelve good rooms. Openings are made in both wings between the main building and the addition, by which spacious corridors were secured, leading directly from the Mt. Vernon Street entrance, which by branch corridors are connected with each other, and give easy access to every part of the basement. The floors of the corridors in this story are also laid with marble tile. The whole is heated by steam, generated in three boilers located in an underground room outside of the walls, between the west wing and Hancock Avenue. Warm, fresh hydrated air, for ventilation, is supplied to every room by a fan propelled by a steam-engine, and the same engine runs an exhaust fan for removing the foul air from the halls and some of the principal rooms. A steam-pump forces water to the upper part of the building through large pipes, to which there is attached in the several stories more than a thousand feet of rubber hose, by which every room may be reached in case of fire. In addition to this precaution against fire, there is a steam-pipe leading to the dome, by means of which a fire there may be almost instantly extinguished.

These improvements were executed from the plans of the architects, Washburn & Son, and under their direct and constant supervision. Cost, including furniture, about \$250,000.

The Legislature of 1868 made provision for re-seating the Senate Chamber and the Hall of the House, which improvements were made under the supervision of legislative committees, in season for the accommodation of the Legislature of 1869, at a cost of about \$6,600.

The Battle-Flags.

The colors of the several regiments and batteries of Massachusetts which had served the country during the war of the rebellion, were returned to the State House on the 22d of December, 1865. A full account of the interesting ceremonies of the occasion may be found in the Adjutant-General's Report for the year 1865. The colors were grouped around the pillars in the Doric Hall, where they remained until, by authority of Resolve No. 38 of 1866, they were placed in the niches on the north side of the hall, and in the sides of the recess occupied by the Washington Statue, according to a plan of A. R. Esty, Esq., architect, in whose charge the matter was placed by the Governor and Council. The flags are 269 in number—194 being of infantry regiments, and 75 of cavalry and artillery. The cavalry flags are placed in the north-west angle niche of the hall; the infantry flags in the Washington Statue recess, and the artillery and battery flags in the north-eastern niche. In the statue recess, the national colors are located in regular numerical order upon the lowest shelf on either side of the statue, commencing No. 1 next to cavalry flags, with the State and other colors in the background. The flags are inclosed within mammoth panes of glass, and the openings are properly guarded by fencing.

The Statue of Washington,

By CHANTREY, was placed in the State House in 1828 by the Washington Monument Association, at a cost of \$15,000.

In the pavement of the area near the statue are *fac similes* of certain Memorial Stones of the ancestors of Washington, from the parish church at Brington, near Althorp, Northamptonshire, England. They were presented by the Right Hon. Earl Spencer to the Hon. Charles Sumner, and by him to the Commonwealth, February 22, 1861.

The Statue of Webster,

By POWERS, was erected upon the grounds in front of the State House, in 1859, by the Webster Memorial Committee, at a cost of \$10,000.

The Statue of Mann,

By MISS STEBBINS, was erected in 1865.

The Statue of Ex-Governor Andrew,

By THOMAS BALL, was placed in the Doric Hall in February, 1872.

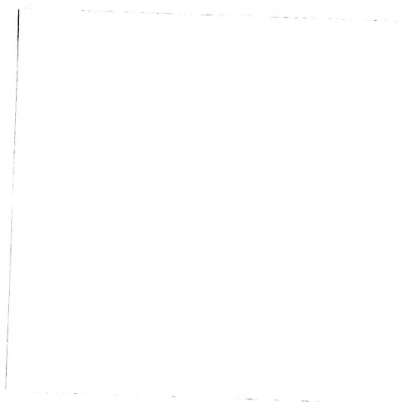
Lincoln and Sumner.

Busts of President Lincoln and Senator Sumner have recently been placed in niches in the Doric Hall.

Wilson and Boutwell.

Busts of Senator Wilson and Mr. Secretary Boutwell have recently been placed in the Library.

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